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FIELD OVERSIGHT SUMMARY REPORT
ACS NPL SITE
GRIFFITH, INDIANA
February 6, 1997 - March 28, 1997

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**USEPA/ARCS V
BVSPC Field Oversight Summary**

Reporting Period: February 6, 1997 - March 28, 1997

BVSPC Project No. 71670

Site Name/Location: ACS, Griffith, IN

Hours Worked: 283

USEPA Work Assignment Manager: Sheri Bianchin

Project Coordinator: Steve Mrkvicka

Personnel Summary Affiliation	No. of Personnel	Responsibility
John Gandy, Foster Wheeler Environmental Corp., Columbus, OH	1	Barrier Wall Construction Quality Assurance & Quality Control
Horizontal Technologies, Inc., Lake Alfred, FL (HTI)	10	Installation of Barrier Wall Extraction System (BWES) and benching and pre- excavation activities associated with BWES
Stearns Drilling Company Grand Rapids, MI	2	Abandonment of K-P Well
Young's Environmental Cleanup, Inc., Flint, MI (Youngs)	6	Completion of Perimeter Groundwater Containment System (PGCS)
Ben McGeachy, Montgomery Watson Addison, IL	1	Respondent's General Contractor
Jeff Ramsby and Others, Montgomery Watson Madison, WI	6	Field Sampling Personnel
Ashok Rupani and Steve Mrkvicka, Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp., Chicago, IL	2	USEPA Oversight Contractor

Summary of field activities

A number of field activities were undertaken by the Respondents during this reporting period. From February 6, 1997, through March 28, 1997, Montgomery Watson and its subcontractors, HTI and Youngs, conducted field activities associated with the installation of PGCS and BWES. BVSPC provided oversight during the reporting period. Copies of BVSPC field notes and photographs showing key activities are attached.

Air Monitoring and Health and Safety

Health and safety personnel from Youngs and HTI were present on-site during all intrusive activities. Their main task was to conduct continuous air monitoring during intrusive activities, notify the working crew as necessary, and advise of any needed upgrades to Level C or Level B personal protection. Most of the activities were conducted in Level C personal protection for the operators and workers closest to the excavation and modified Level D personal protection for other workers.

Health and safety personnel conducted continuous air monitoring using a photoionization detector (PID). Periodically, or as suspected, draeger tubes for benzene and vinyl chloride detection were also utilized.

Barrier Wall Extraction System

During this reporting period, HTI completed benching and pre-excavation activities associated with the BWES. HTI also installed approximately 1,200 feet of barrier wall and eight (8) of the nine (9) extraction trenches associated with the barrier wall.

Spoils Handling

Before conducting benching and pre-excavation activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment, Montgomery Watson identified two separate areas along the alignment. Excess soils excavated from one of these areas were placed in the Buried Waste Spoils Management Area. Excess soils excavated from the other area were placed in the Offsite PCB-Containing Spoils Management Area. Excess soils from all other areas were placed in the Upper Aquifer Spoils Management Area in accordance with the Spoils Management Plan.

During the benching and pre-excavation activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment, municipal waste/debris was encountered to a maximum depth of 9 feet below ground surface (bgs) along an approximately 200 feet long stretch of this alignment. All of the municipal waste/debris was excavated and placed in the

northwestern corner of the Upper Aquifer Spoils Management Area. The municipal waste/debris was kept segregated from other spoils in the Upper Aquifer Spoils Management Area.

On February 6, 1997, Montgomery Watson personnel encountered a production well located just north of the Kapica-Pazmey building. The well appeared to have not been used for a long period of time. While attempting to take water level measurement, an obstruction was encountered at 25 feet bgs. Since the well (designated as K-P Production Well) was located along the barrier wall alignment, well abandonment activities were undertaken by Montgomery Watson shortly thereafter. The drill cuttings generated during abandonment activities were containerized and placed in the Offsite PCB-Containing Spoils Management Area since the well was located within the estimated PCB-containing soils area. The decontamination water was stored in a 55-gallon drum and placed in the Drum Staging Area. Well abandonment activities are described in detail later in this report.

Before HTI conducted benching and pre-excavation activities near the south-east corner of the Offsite Containment Area, Midwest Material Services (Midwest) of Hammond, Indiana, mobilized to the site on February 15, 1997, and completed the demolition of the Kapica-Pazmey building. The building demolition debris was placed in the Demolition Rubble Management Area in accordance with the Spoils Management Plan.

Benching and Pre-excavation Activities

During this reporting period, HTI conducted benching and pre-excavation activities in the Offsite Containment Area to prepare for the installation of barrier wall and associated extraction trench 14 along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment.

Benching is defined as creating a level, working platform either by excavating the native soils or building an embankment with clean imported soils to achieve required elevations. Pre-excavation refers to the excavation of undesirable materials such as municipal waste/debris and if necessary, backfilling with clean, imported sand. Benching was also required to overcome limitations on the trencher box or the installation boot length (maximum 20 feet) and varying elevations of the top of the clay layer. Depth to clay is maximum in the south-east region of the Offsite Containment Area. Excavation varying in depth from six to eight feet was conducted at various locations along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment. Benching activities for the barrier wall and the extraction trench 14 were conducted simultaneously.

A number of drums and drum carcasses were encountered during benching and pre-excavation activities along part of the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment approximately between the stations 13+00 and 11+00. Some of the drum carcasses and empty drums that did not need overpacking were relocated to the Miscellaneous Debris Management Area. The remaining drums were staged in an area north of the Buried Waste Spoils Management Area and temporarily covered with plastic.

An abandoned concrete septic tank was encountered during benching and pre-excavation activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment. The septic tank was filled with soils. The tank was placed in the Demolition Rubble Management Area, whereas the soils were placed in the Offsite PCB-Containing Spoils Management Area in accordance with the Spoils Management Plan.

Regular pickets held at the site by Local 150 Operating Engineers Union hindered the delivery of clean sand from offsite sources. In order to continue the benching and pre-excavation activities, HTI continued to use the sand from along Colfax Avenue that was excavated during benching activities along eastern leg of the barrier wall alignment in the Offsite Containment Area. In a March 24, 1997, letter to the Respondents, the USEPA approved the use of "Colfax Sand" based upon the laboratory analytical documentation which certified that the "Colfax Sand" did not contain chemicals above the Remediation Levels listed for the site in the Unilateral Administrative Order. However, after an agreement was reached between HTI and Local 150 Union on March 10, 1997, delivery of clean sand from offsite sources resumed.

During this reporting period, HTI completed benching and pre-excavation activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment and associated extraction trench 14 in the Offsite Containment Area.

Installation of Barrier Wall

On February 6, 1997, HTI began installation of the barrier wall at station 21+50, south of the ACS railroad tracks, and proceeded south in a counter-clockwise direction along the western leg of the alignment. The benching and pre-excavation activities conducted along the barrier wall alignment provided an approximately 15 feet wide corridor to allow the barrier wall trenching machine to pass along the alignment.

The barrier wall installation activities began by first swinging the installation boot down into the ground into a vertical position to the design installation depth providing for at least a two-foot key into the underlying clay layer. The trenching machine cut a nominal 16-inch wide trench and installed the 60-mil HDPE membrane with water tight HDPE joints approximately every 100 to 130 feet. The trenching machine unrolled the

HDPE membrane from the installation boot and backfilled the trench with the excavated material in one pass. The trenching machine moved on top of the wooden mattresses placed along its path to disperse the weight of the trenching machine and ease construction under wet conditions.

The HDPE panels with the attached joint system were approximately 28 feet high and 100 to 130 feet long. The joint profiles were heat-welded to the two ends of the 120 feet long HDPE panel by a qualified HDPE welder prior to the panel being rolled up for insertion into the installation boot. Each joint was inspected and tested by HTI's Engineering subcontractor Foster Wheeler, Inc. of Columbus, Ohio per recommendations of the manufacturer.

The installation boot was equipped with a delivery system for the HDPE panel once it was rolled up and placed on the spindle inside the boot. The first HDPE panel was restrained by a rigid pipe just outside the back of the installation boot. The HDPE panel is unrolled within the boot as the trenching machine moved forward pulling the boot behind it. A bentonite slurry feed was used to seal the base of the HDPE panel into the underlying clay layer as the panel was being installed.

With the help of a mixing/delivery system attached to the trenching machine, the backfill material was blended with bentonite to reduce the hydraulic conductivity of the backfill surrounding the HDPE membrane, thereby providing an extra level of protection for the wall. The excess HDPE panel was left up above the ground surface to be taken care of later.

Once the end of one HDPE panel was reached, the forward motion of the trenching machine was halted and the boot, which remained in vertical position, was readied for the insertion of a new HDPE panel. The connection was made using the joint profiles attached at the end of the two panels. This was accomplished by slowly lowering the new panel onto the spindle inside the boot, while sliding the two joint profiles together at the same rate.

During this reporting period, HTI had installed 10 panels for a total wall length of approximately 1,200 feet between stations 21+50 and 9+00.

Installation of Barrier Wall Extraction Trenches

On February 9, 1997, HTI began installation of barrier wall extraction trenches located inside of the barrier wall alignment. Extraction Trenches 10, 17 and 18 were located in the Onsite Containment Area, whereas trenches 11, 12, 13, 15 and 16 were located in the Offsite Containment Area.

Field activities began with preparation of the installation areas. The preparation activities included benching and pre-excavation activities, and, if necessary, placement of wooden mattresses along the trenching machine's path to disperse the weight of the machine and ease construction under wet conditions.

Each trench began with a sump and extended approximately 100 feet. The trench depths varied from approximately 16.5 feet bgs at extraction trench 11 to approximately 26.5 feet bgs at extraction trench 15. The trenching machine was equipped with a cutting boom and a delivery box for the sump and filter material placement. Before installing each trench, an 8-inch diameter HDPE vertical riser was first mounted on the front of the delivery box. A 6-inch diameter corrugated HDPE screen with an exterior geotextile fabric filter was then fed through the delivery box and connected to the vertical riser at a T-joint approximately six (6) inches from the bottom of the vertical riser. The connection was made with multiple screws and bolts that were wrapped with layers of protective tape.

The trenching machine was then positioned at the pumping end of the extraction trench. The cutters dug down until the cutting boom was vertical to the ground surface. At this point, the vertical riser was released from the delivery system. The riser extended six (6) inches into the upper clay layer to allow the screen to be placed on top of the clay layer. The trenching machine began a forward motion while simultaneously excavating a nominal 16-inch wide trench, installing the horizontal screen, and continuously backfilling with sand filter material from two feet bgs to the total trench depth. As the trenching machine moved forward, the sand, previously loaded into the hopper located on top of the delivery system, replaced the excavated material that was being discharged from the machine's conveyor system. The depth and grade of the trenching machine was maintained by continuously checking the grade of the cutting boom. Once the design trench length was reached, the screen was converted to a solid 6-inch diameter corrugated HDPE pipe that would serve as an access port at the non-pumping end of the trench. The access port extended approximately 15 feet horizontally from the end of the screen.

Perimeter Groundwater Containment System

During this reporting period, Youngs installed the conveyance piping and valve assembly associated with the PGCS effluent discharge system. HTI and Youngs worked together to complete the mechanical and electrical installations for the PGCS extraction trench, PGCS effluent discharge system and the associated conveyance piping.

Montgomery Watson and its subcontractor, Bowen Engineering of Indianapolis, Indiana, worked together to complete PGCS start-up activities.

Spoils Handling

No excess soils were generated from the PGCS effluent discharge system construction activities. Construction dewatering water generated during activities associated with PGCS was temporarily stored in 20,000-gallon Baker Tanks and passed through a granular activated carbon unit. After the effluent samples indicated that the discharge standards have been met, this water was discharged to the wetlands by passing it through the treatment system.

Installation of PGCS Effluent Discharge System

Youngs began installation of the PGCS effluent discharge system on February 18, 1997, and completed on March 13, 1997. The effluent discharge system consisted of a 4-inch diameter HDPE pipe running from the effluent weir box inside the treatment building to a valve assembly located a few feet east of the PGCS extraction trench and three 4-inch diameter HDPE discharge pipes running from the valve assembly to different locations in the wetlands for eventual disposal. The three discharge pipes culminated in a manhole installed for clean-out purposes. A gentle slope was provided in the east-west direction to allow for flow by gravity. All pipes were installed at an approximate depth of 4 to 5 feet bgs. All excavated material was re-used as backfill. Youngs conducted the pressure testing of the effluent discharge pipes on March 12, 1997.

Miscellaneous Work Associated with the PGCS Extraction Trench

During this reporting period, Youngs and HTI worked together to complete miscellaneous mechanical and electrical hook-ups associated with the PGCS extraction trench. These activities began on February 24, 1997, and were completed on March 24, 1997.

Youngs extended the PGCS conveyance piping to each of the PGCS sumps. HTI installed the pumps and surface completion at each of the three PGCS sumps. A total of 20,700 gallons of groundwater was pumped from the three sumps to keep the excavation around each of the sumps dry and help facilitate installation activities. This process helped develop the sumps. Therefore, no separate development activities were conducted. The pumped water was temporarily stored in 20,000-gallon Baker Tanks until it could be run through the treatment system before eventual disposal to the wetlands. Problems encountered during these activities are described later in this report.

PGCS Start-up Activities

The PGCS start-up activities began on March 3, 1997, and continued through this reporting period. Following tasks were completed during this reporting period:

- Final Inspection of all equipment including UV oxidation unit.
- Start-up of air compressor and air dryer.
- Start-up of clarifiers and sand filter.
- Activation of Carbon Canisters.
- Passivation (using nitric acid) of Hydrogen Peroxide Tank and associated piping.
- Chemical delivery (Sodium Hydroxide, Sulfuric Acid, Hydrogen Peroxide) to the site.
- Closed loop clean water testing of the treatment system.
- Clean water testing of UV oxidation unit.
- Site water (from southern PGCS sump) testing of UV oxidation unit.
- Completion and testing of System Instrumentation and Controls.

At the time of testing of site water, the Quality Assurance Project Plan (QAPP) for the Performance Standards Verification Plan (PSVP) was under review by the USEPA. Therefore, all treated water was sampled and temporarily stored in 20,000-gallon Baker Tanks until approval of the PSVP-QAPP was granted by the USEPA.

Second Quarter Groundwater Sampling

Second round of quarterly groundwater sampling was conducted during the week of March 24, 1997. Before sampling, water level measurements were taken from all existing monitoring wells/staff gauges/piezometers with the following exceptions:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
Monitoring Well MW-35	Found damaged
Piezometer P-6	Not Found, possibly destroyed
Piezometer P-12	Free Product encountered
Piezometer P-20	Found damaged
Piezometer P-21	Could not locate
Piezometer P-29	Free Product encountered
Piezometer P-30	Free Product encountered
Piezometer P-37	Found damaged

Water level measurements were taken by three field teams at a time. Water level measurements were also taken at the Griffith Landfill wells (M-1S, M-1D, M-2S, M-2D, M-3S, M-3D, M-4S, M-4D, M-5S and M-5D) in the presence of City of Griffith personnel.

Groundwater sampling was conducted in accordance with the SOP for Groundwater Monitoring Well Sampling dated March 8, 1996, and the revised SOP dated March 21, 1997. The October 30, 1996, letter to the Respondents also provided an SOP clarification which permitted Respondents to use deionized water for decontamination purposes and for field blank preparation.

The sampling locations and analyses for upper aquifer wells were approved by the USEPA in a letter to the Respondents dated October 30, 1996. The upper aquifer monitoring plan was re-iterated by the USEPA in a letter to the Respondents dated March 3, 1997, *Approval of the Phase II Upper Aquifer Technical Memorandum with Modifications*. The sampling locations and analyses for lower aquifer wells were approved by the USEPA in a letter to the Respondents dated October 11, 1996. The lower aquifer monitoring plan was re-iterated by the USEPA in a letter to the Respondents dated March 3, 1997, *Approval of the Lower Aquifer Technical Memorandum with Modifications*. All samples, except for MW-7 and MW-21, were to be analyzed for full-scan analyses (TCL/TAL). Samples from wells MW-7 and MW-21 were to be analyzed only for full-scan organics (TCL).

Groundwater samples were collected from the following wells: upper aquifer wells MW-6, MW-11, MW-12, MW-13, MW-14, MW-15, MW-18, MW-19, MW-37, MW-38, MW-39, MW-40, MW-41, MW-42, MW-43, MW-44, MW-45, MW-46, MW-47, MW-48, MW-49, M-1S, M-3S, and M-4S; and lower aquifer wells MW-7, MW-8, MW-9, MW-10C, MW-21, MW-22, MW-23, MW-24, MW-28, MW-29, MW-30, MW-31, MW-32, MW-33, MW-34, MW-36, MW-50, MW-51, MW-52, MW-53, MW-54, MW-55, and M-4D. The upper aquifer wells M-1S, M-2S, M-4S and the lower aquifer well M-4D are located within the Griffith Landfill area and are owned and operated by the City of Griffith. Lower aquifer well MW-35 was found to be damaged and, therefore, could not be sampled.

Groundwater purging and sampling was conducted using a low-flow Grundfos submersible pump. The pumping rate was maintained at approximately 300 ml/minute. Field parameters such as pH, specific conductivity, temperature, and turbidity readings were measured during purging. Sampling was initiated when the field parameters stabilized for three consecutive readings within 10 percent of the previous readings.

Sample handling and chain-of-custody procedures were followed in accordance with the SOP.

BVSPC field sampling personnel included Scott Radley, Bal Berena, and Rob Lantz. BVSPC split a total of 14 samples with Montgomery Watson for following well locations: upper aquifer wells MW-6, MW-14, MW-40, MW-42, MW-48, M-1S, M-3S, and M-4S; and lower aquifer wells MW-9, MW-10C, MW-23, MW-28 and MW-51. BVSPC also collected a field duplicate at MW-48, an equipment blank sample, and a total of seven (7) trip blanks. BVSPC submitted all samples for full-scan analyses to the Central Regional Laboratory (CRL) in Chicago, Illinois. The split sample locations were verbally approved by the USEPA WAM Sheri Bianchin. The sample handling and chain-of-custody procedures were followed in accordance with the Mini-Quality Assurance Project Plan, Revision 3, January 14, 1997.

Abandonment of K-P Production Well

On February 7, 1997, Stearns Drilling Company of Grand Rapids, Michigan, mobilized to the site to abandon the K-P production well. It was not evident from the surface inspection whether the well terminated in the upper aquifer or extended through the confining clay layer, into the lower aquifer. Because of the potential that the well could represent a migration pathway, it was abandoned using hollow-stemmed augers and rotary drilling method. The abandonment activities were conducted in accordance with the USEPA-approved Specific Operating Procedure (SOP) dated February 7, 1997, except one modification which was made in the field by Montgomery Watson. A mud rotary method was used, whereas the approved SOP indicated that an air rotary method would be used. In a March 14, 1997, letter to the USEPA, the Respondents provided a justification for choosing mud rotary method over an air rotary method. The abandonment activities were supervised by Mr. Cliff Yantz of Montgomery Watson.

The abandonment activities began by first pulling out the discharge piping from the well. The discharge piping consisted of an inflow and an outflow pipe connected to a PVC header. The water level was measured at 28.2 feet bgs and total depth of the well was measured at 76.04 feet bgs. The measurements indicated that the well was screened in the upper zone of the lower aquifer. Montgomery Watson personnel collected a representative sample for volatile organic compound (VOC) analysis using a stainless steel bailer as opposed to a disposable bailer indicated in the SOP. The disposable bailer could not go down more than couple of feet below water table because the well casing appeared to be at an angle. A water sample at this location would not

be representative of the actual site conditions. Therefore, a stainless steel bailer, which was able to reach all the way to the well bottom, was used instead.

The 4-inch diameter PVC well casing was overdrilled using 8 1/4-inch inside diameter (ID) hollow-stemmed augers to the top of the upper clay layer, i.e., approximately 30 feet bgs. A 6-inch stainless steel casing was then installed to a depth of 35 feet bgs and grouted in place to seal off the upper aquifer from the lower aquifer. Before overdrilling, only top 10 feet of the well casing could be pulled out. The rest of the casing was ground up and flushed out during mud rotary drilling.

After a minimum of 12 hours of grouting, drilling inside the 6-inch casing began using mud rotary method. The drilling continued through the upper clay layer, approximately 30 feet thick, to the total measured depth of the well. The borehole was then backfilled with cement-bentonite grout from the base of the borehole up.

The 6-inch casing was left in place. An additional piece of casing was welded to the existing casing, thus extending it to more than six (6) feet above ground.

The abandonment activities were completed on February 10, 1997.

Miscellaneous Activities

Youngs completed the pressure testing of the water line to the treatment building on February 12, 1997. On February 26, 1997, Youngs installed a septic tank just outside the north-east corner of the treatment building.

Montgomery Watson subcontracted Midwest Material Services (Midwest) of Hammond, Indiana, to conduct continuous trenching along the western and northern leg of the barrier wall alignment in the Onsite Containment Area. Midwest began trenching approximately at station 25+00 on March 19, 1997, and ended approximately at station 37+00 on March 20, 1997. The purpose of this task was to locate any obstructions that might be encountered, thereby defining the extent of benching and pre-excavation activities that would have to be undertaken by HTI before installing barrier wall in these areas. The depth of the trench was maintained at approximately five (5) bgs. The trench was backfilled with the excavated material. Midwest conducted continuous air monitoring using an HNu.

On February 11, 1997, Montgomery Watson brought in an independent auditor, Mr. Phil Colarhan, onsite to evaluate health and safety procedures being followed at the site.

During this reporting period, Mr. Scott Smith of local newspaper, The Times, visited the site on three separate occasions (February 6, 1997, February 13, 1997, and

March 13, 1997) to inquire about the site activities. News articles related to the site activities were published in The Times on February 7, 1997, and March 14, 1997.

As described in the earlier reports, the USEPA had received several public complaints about the site activities. The USEPA and BVSPC jointly contacted some of the local residents in order to educate them about the site activities and reassure them that all the site activities are being conducted in accordance with the USEPA-approved plans and under the oversight of the USEPA contractor BVSPC.

Problems Encountered/Corrective Actions

HTI encountered several problems during barrier wall installation activities. On February 14, 1997, the joint between the first and the second HDPE panel pulled apart near station 20+00 as the trenching machine moved forward to unroll the panel. Similar situation arose on March 3, 1997, when the joint between the eighth and the ninth HDPE panel pulled apart near station 12+00. Each time the joint pulled apart, HTI ceased forward progress, made unsuccessful attempts to complete the connection, pulled the installation boot out of the ground to make repairs and modify the delivery system, and finally resumed forward progress leaving a gap between the panels.

Based on their own alignment borings and review of investigative borings conducted by Montgomery Watson, HTI was expecting the barrier wall alignment area to consist entirely of fine sand and clay. However, on March 11, 1997, the trenching machine unexpectedly encountered coarser gravel, cobbles and boulders within the upper aquifer zone near the south-east corner of the Offsite Containment Area. This encounter caused significant damage to the cutting chain of the trenching machine. The coarser gravel was locking up the installation boot thereby causing uneven feed of the HDPE panel. On March 16, 1997, HTI cut the installed HDPE panel at that location and pulled the trenching machine out of the ground to make repairs. After completing repairs, HTI resumed forward progress on March 20, 1997, thus creating the third gap in the barrier wall. After installing approximately 80 feet of the new panel, HTI encountered the same problem with the coarser gravel locking up the installation boot thereby causing uneven feed of the HDPE panel. Finally, on March 27, 1997, HTI halted barrier wall installation activities, pulled the trenching machine out of the ground, and began working with Montgomery Watson to come up with a viable solution.

HTI is currently working with Slurry Walls, Inc., an independent consultant, to design an acceptable solution to close the three, and potentially more, gaps which have been created in the barrier wall.

The original design of the PGCS effluent discharge system had called for installation of a valve vault from where the three discharge pipes would begin their run towards the wetlands. The intended location of this valve vault was approximately 200 feet west of the PGCS extraction trench across from station 28+00. Due to heavy weight (approximately 20 tons) of the concrete vault and extremely wet and muddy conditions in the installation area, Youngs was unsuccessful in keeping the excavation open long enough to complete the installation, in spite of continuously pumping/de-watering the excavation and using the steel sheet piles. The steel sheet piles were pushed/driven with the help of back-hoe bucket. Youngs halted the installation activities on March 4, 1997, and began working with Montgomery Watson's design engineers to come up with other options which could be utilized.

On March 10, 1997, Youngs and Montgomery Watson decided to do away with the vault and install only the valve assembly approximately four (4) to five (5) feet bgs. To avoid problems due to the wet and muddy conditions, the location of the valve assembly was moved further east as described earlier. Youngs began installation of the valve assembly on March 11, 1997. The three discharge pipes had to be extended further east to reach new valve assembly location.

Youngs encountered high water table and extremely wet conditions while excavating around the northern PGCS sumps. A vacuum truck was mobilized to the site on March 17, 1997, to help speed up the pumping and complete the conveyance piping hook-up activities. On February 25, 1997, while excavating around the central PGCS sump, Youngs back-hoe accidentally damaged the steel sump connections at the bottom. Extremely wet conditions were also encountered in this area. Youngs used the vacuum truck to keep the excavation dry. HTI helped Youngs repair the sump connections. The repair activities were completed on March 18, 1997.

Dispute with Local 150 Operating Engineers Union that began on December 3, 1996, ended on March 10, 1997, with HTI and the Union reaching an agreement. This agreement allowed for the resumption of delivery of materials and supplies from offsite sources to all subcontractors working on the site.

Several delays were encountered due to cold weather and equipment breakdown.

Future Work Schedule

Following activities are planned through June, 1997:

- Installation of PGCS piezometers and continued tuning of the treatment system.
- PGCS 72-hour testing and start-up sampling.

- Completion of barrier wall and extraction trench 14.
- Installation of piezometers associated with BWES.
- Completion of barrier wall conveyance piping and associated mechanical and electrical hook-ups.
- Construction of 4-inch water line inside the ACS plant to replace the production wells.
- Abandonment of six ACS production wells.

Following investigative activities are planned through June, 1997:

- Third Quarterly sampling of lower and upper aquifer wells.
- Residential Well Sampling.
- Sampling of ACS facility well ATMW-4D.
- Sampling of six (6) ACS production wells.
- Installation of a new monitoring wells to replace MW-35 and MW-54.

Comments

At the time of writing of this report, following tasks remain to be completed by Montgomery Watson:

- The soil cuttings generated from drilling through the upper saturated zone at well locations MW-54/MW-55 should be placed in drums. The soil cuttings were left in place near the wells.
- The new monitoring wells should be permanently labelled as soon as possible.
- The two drums encountered near the southwestern corner during installation of the BWES conveyance piping have not yet been managed per the spoils management plan.
- Drums encountered during benching and pre-excavation activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment were staged in an area north of the Buried Waste Spoils Management Area and temporarily covered with plastic. These drums remain to be handled and relocated in accordance with the Spoils Management Plan.

Signature: _____

JMILL

Date: _____

6-12-97

Starbuck's Pub 3-6-97

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0900 On site

Weather cloudy; 30°F
Go over to OFEA. HTI is ready
to test run the burner with
trencher. (BW trencher)

0930 Begin running the BW trencher

#8 } in test run is intended to see
#9 } if the trencher is functioning
and required and to see if there
are any minor adjustments are
to be made.

0955 After about 10 feet of work,

HTI stopped. They said the

#10 truck is working just fine
but they would have to fix the
the kerotone feed system.

1010 HTI continues to pre-excavate

#11 the BW trench in the southwest
corner of the OFEA

1020 During the pre-excitation

along western leg of the BW,
approx. 5 drums (with contents)

#12 were encountered. The drums
were placed alongside the trench
temporarily.

Joshua K. Ruppert
2-6-97

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1100 Back by the trailer. Lee said as soon as YECI completes pressure testing of the water line, they will leave and resume work on Monday 2/10/97.

1115 Lee indicated this morning there was a major flare with the picketers. They tried to block YECI from entering the site. Apparently, the quarry where sand is coming from, has also been picketed.

1150 Break for lunch

1235 Back to the site

Lee told me a reporter from Hammond Times newspaper was onsite a few minutes ago and wanted to talk with ETA rep onsite. He would probably be back.

1330 YECI is taking off for the weekend. Pressure testing of the water line could not be completed and hence will resume next week.

Joshua K. Ruppert
2-6-97

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1400 Go over to OFCA. HTI is no longer doing the test run on the BW trencher. HTI continues to ~~fore~~-excavate in the southwest region of the OFCA.

1425 Talk a walk over to KP building with Lee to see the production well encountered this week.

#13 Production well by KP bldg. Lee told me he had tried to sound the well but encountered an obstruction at 25' or so.
(Looking south)

1435 Ben indicated that drillers will be onsite to abandon this well.

1450 Called Sheri and left a message regarding well abandonment schedule.

1455 Talked with Ben and Todd in detail about soil pile by the drum area. Based on EPA's recommendation, Ben said he is going to conduct additional head space analysis.

Shook Enpam
2-6-97

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on Monday 2/10/97 with
the help of YECI's advocat.
Todd indicated that Montg-
omery Watson would like
to come up ^{near} an area inside
the plant to stage the
2500 ppm soils.

1600 called Steve and discussed
today's activities

1625 off site

end

Shook Enpam
2-7-97

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0900 on site

Weather: cloudy, 28°F
Cliff Yantz from Montgomery
Watson will be supervising
the well abandonment activities
to be conducted by Stearns
Drilling Co.

Ben said HTI has continued
to do pre-excitation activities
in the southwest region of the
OFCA and are also setting
up to do extraction trench 11
today.

0925 Cliff gave me a copy of an
EPA approved Well Abandonment
SOP dated 2/6/97

0935 Go over to OFCA to check up
on HTI.

1000 #14 HTI setting up to do
extraction trench 11 (looking
east)

HTI indicated that they will
be ready to do trenching at
around 1300.

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- 1035 Go over by KP bldg. Drillers are setting up.
- 1125 Drillers & Cliff take an early lunch.
- 1140 Lee said he would like to mark the waste area just west of the KP bldg sometime this afternoon.
- 1155 Break for lunch.
- 1240 Back to the KP Bldg.
- 1305 #15, #16 the pump for this well is a jet type with an inflow and outflow pipes connected to a discharge PVC pipe.
water level = 28.2' bgs
Total Well Depth = 76.24' bgs
- 1310 Ben had handed me over a revised SOP (dated 2/7/97) for KP production, ^{well} and casing abandonment.
- 1340 HTI continues to pre-excavate near the buried waste area in the DFCA.
- 1400 Lee and I identified the buried waste area just west

- of the KP bldg.
- Cliff, the drilling supervisor for Montgomery Watson, takes the well sample for VOCs.
- 1425 Begin overdrilling with an #17 8 1/4" ID Wilson stearns auger.
- 1445 #18 Pre-excavation by HTI (looking north-east)
- 1500 HTI is getting setup to do extraction trench II.
- 1540 HTI decides against starting trench II due to some problems with the conveyor belts.
- 1615 Cliff said the drillers just completed setting the 6-inch casing to 35' bgs. Depth to clay was 30' bgs.
- 1630 Cliff said they may have trouble setting the water in which case grouting will be done tomorrow.
- 1635 off site

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0930 on site

Weather: cloudy, flurries, 30°F
HTI did not do any trenching yesterday. They moved a lot of sand over to the south end of the barrier wall for trenching purposes and they will continue to do that today. HTI is going to try to begin doing extraction trench 11 sometime this morning.

0950 Drillers are getting ready to drill through the 6-inch casing. Cliff said they finished grouting at about 4 pm yesterday.

Cliff said the VC samples he took on Friday were not valid because they were taken a few feet below the water table and did not represent the aquifer water. The reason for that being the trailer would not go down because the well was at an

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angle. The stainless steel trailer could have probably gone down all the way. Based on discussions with Eric Vogt, Cliff used the stainless steel trailer (derivation from SDR) to sample again yesterday. He said he will send the samples for Monday delivery.

1020 Drillers are setting up for rotary drilling.

1130 Drillers take a lunch break will start drilling right after.

1135 Break for lunch

1230 Back to the site

Lee came by and said HTI completed extraction trench 11 a few minutes ago.

1250 Drillers continue to drill #19 using ^{the} air rotary.

1315 Down to 30' bgs. The PVC casing was broken off from top to 10' below. The rest of the casing is being recovered in pieces.

1330 Go over by HTI.

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#20, #21 Benching activities along
the western leg of the barrier
wall.

#22, #23 Extraction Trench II
(looking north/northwest)

1400 HTI also continues to move
sand along Colfax over towards
the barrier wall alignment.

1415 Lee indicated all water/
mud filled drums would be
placed along other drums
near the OFCA trailers. He
also informed me that excess
spoils generated during
extraction trench II installation
have been moved over to
UA spoils mgmt area.

1515 Drilled down to 60' bss

1545 off site

end

Ashok Infanti
2-10-97

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0915 on site

Weather: Cloudy, 30°F, few flurries

0935 Drillers just got done abandoning
#24 the XL production well.

0945 HTI continues to pre-excavate

#25 and dig up refuse along western
leg of the barrier wall. Appa-
rently, they are going to resume
barrier wall installation.

1115 YECI will continue pressure testing
of the water line today.

1135 HTI continues to pre-excavate
and remove trash in the OFCA

1155 Break for lunch.

1245 Back to the site

1310 Bev told me they will be leadip-
ac sampling of soil pile by the
drum area inside the plant.

1345 HTI continues to pre-excavate
and remove trash along the
western leg of the barrier wall
alignment. HTI is setting up
for the barrier wall installation.

1430 HTI indicated it would be 5
minutes before they can get going.

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- 1445 HTI resumes barrier wall
#26, #27 installation -
- 1525 After moving about 25' more,
HTI had some equipment
troubles. Total 40' has been installed.
- 1545 HTI decides to stop for the day.
- 1550 Go over to the trailer. Ben
said he would like to sample
the soil pile for headspace
tomorrow.
- 1615 Ben gave me a copy of
Hammill Times article dated
2/7/97 related to the site.
- 1655 off site

end

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- 0700 on site
- Weather: cloudy, 28°F, windy
wind chill +1°F
- Ben said YECI's operator is ready
to help him sample soil pile
for headspace analysis.
- 0930 Begin sampling the soil pile
#28 (looking west)
- Picked up five soil pile samples,
one from the center and one
each from the four corner areas.
- 1000 All five samples indicated
readings (headspace and field
screening) around 300 ppm. So
I told Ben once I get confirmation
from EPA, the soil pile can be
moved to UA spoils area.
- 1025 Called Steve and gave him
an update.
- 1050 Go over by OFCA. HTI continues
to ^{do} post-trenching along the south
end of the barrier wall alignment.
- 1150 Break for lunch
- 1235 Back to the site. HTI is still
at lunch

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- 1310 HTI continues to pre-trench and remove trash along the south end of the barrier wall.
- 1415 HTI is facing some equipment troubles with the barrier wall trench.
- 1430 YECI continues to work on the pressure testing of the water line.
- Phil Cdaahan, an independent safety consultant, was on site yesterday to audit site safety procedures.
- 1500 Called Steve and connected with Steve to discuss some issues related to picketing and some public complaints lodged with EPA.
- 1520 Called Tom Doyle, citizen who had lodged complaint with EPA, and introduced myself. I assured him all site activities are ongoing with EPA oversight and that if he has any concerns he is more

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- Thank you to call me or Peter Vough or Ben at the site.
- 1535 HTI continues to move culfax south over by the southwest region of the OFCA.
- 1550 HTI completed 50' of Barrier wall. Thus totally completing about 100' of barrier wall.
- 1605 Faxed the copy of 2/7/97 news article over to Steve M.
- 1615 Told Ben that my field notes are available (regarding picketing issues) if he needs.
- 1645 Off site

end.

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0845 on site

weather: 20°F, sunny, windy
Drew at the OFCA, HTI continues
to pre-trench and remove
debris/trash in the southwest
region of the OFCA. HTI is
also preparing to resume the
barrier wall trenching. YECI
is working on the pressure testings
of the water line.

0900 Armelle Capalonga m.w. is on site.

0945 HTI's equipment is ready to go
but there seems to be some
delay.

1050 HTI still has not gotten their
barrier wall trencher going.

1100 Tim of HTI came by and briefed
me about new health and
construction safety procedures
which will be followed from
this week on. He showed me
the contamination reduction
zones and exclusion zones.

1215 HTI continues to pre-trench and
remove trash along the south

leg of the barrier wall.

1205 Break for lunch

1250 Back to the site. Ben told me
YECI continues to work on PUCS
electrical connections. Pressure
testing of water line is done
sometime this afternoon or tomorrow
morning, YECI will relocate the
soil pile by the drum area
inside the plant.

1315 HTI has stopped pre-trenching
activities temporarily.

1340 HTI is still working on getting
their barrier wall trencher
going. After 20' of installation,
a new soil wall be mounted
on the trencher.

1420 HTI has completed 10 more
feet of barrier wall when
bentonite hose blew out.

1430 Dec told me sometime today or
tomorrow HTI is going ^{to} lay down
some of that slag material along
the road in the OFCA.

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- 1445 HTI is moving the "gas station" over to within exclusion zone. This is being done to make sure no vehicle/equipment enters the CR zone.
- 1530 YECI has started relocating the soil pile by the drum area within the plant.
- 1540 HTI starts to move slag #29 material to build a firm access road within the OFCA.
- 1555 With the help of HTI, Lee starts to move the drums generated during well abandonment over to the drums staging area.
- 1640 YECI relocating soil pile #30 (looking south-east)
- 1715 off site.

End.

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- 0830 On site
Weather: partly cloudy, 30°F,
windchill -1°F
Lee told me HTI is trying to join another polywall roll before they can continue barrier wall trenching. So far, 120' of wall has been installed until yesterday.
- 0900 YECI continues to relocate the soil pile over to the UA Spills area.
- 0920 YECI completes the relocation of the soil pile.
- 0940 HTI continues to pre-excavate in the south region of the barrier wall.
- 0950 Lee told me they just came across a bunch of drum carcasses along the buried waste section of the south leg of the barrier wall. No significant readings off of this carcasses were observed.
- 1010 HTI is working on adding on another roll of polywall.

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1030 Sheri and Holly on site.
1040 Start the scheduling mts
with Pete Vagt, Tom Fournier,
Todd Lewis and Ben.

Two major issues were discussed:

- MW has to come up with a plan to stage 2500 soils which might be excavated within the ONCA
- They want to do 20 feet apart test pits along barrier wall alignment within the ONCA to verify the presence of drums

Also discussed a number of health and safety procedures being followed at the site.

12:25 Meeting's over. Pete Vagt is going to send letters to Sheri regarding response to comments on Spills Plan addendum and work plan for test pits.

1250 Go over to OFCA with Sheri and Holly to show them around. Showed all the spills areas, drums uncovered today, the

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abandoned KP well, the benching and pre-trenching being done by HTI and barrier wall trenches.

13:45 Go over to the treatment bldg. Ben explained the entire process flow to Sheri and Holly.

14:30 Sheri and I go over to Nicole Litzell's, a nearby resident on Reder Rd. Holly has left the site. We explained to Nicole the project objectives and all the ongoing activities at the site.

1530 Break for lunch

1615 Back to the site. Scott Smith of Hammond Times is on site to talk to Pete Vagt and Sheri. We had detailed meeting with Scott and explained to him what activities were ongoing at the site.

1655 Sheri is off site

1720 off site

end

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0900 on site

Weather: sunny, 28°F

YECI is not onsite today. They will be back Monday, 2/17/97, to begin work on discharge piping. HTI had problems in joining the two panels yesterday. The new panel was jammed and would not unroll so the trencher was taken out and staged aside to fix the problems.

0920 Ben indicated panel joint at this location may be not possible to achieve. So they will start the new panel (without a joint) at the original starting point thus making the original panel installed useless.

1015 HTI continues to work on the trencher and pre-excavation and track removal along the south leg of the barrier wall alignment.

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1100 Go over by the landfill fence to oversee the pre-trenching along the south leg of the barrier wall.
1130 Called Sherie and updated her on the situation. Asked if we have a plan for management of PPE. She will discuss with Steve and others.

1210 Break for lunch

1300 Back to the DECA

#31 HTI is building a decom pond just inside the exclusion zone with the help of colfax sand. (Looking northeast)

1330 A bunch of down carcasses, empty #32 drums were uncovered during the pre-excavation activities along the south leg of the barrier wall. (Looking south)

1345 Begin relocating these down carcasses and empty drums over to the miscellaneous debris area. Some drums were left in place to be managed next week. Of the drums relocated today, none of them required to be overpacked.

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- 1420 HTI continues to pre-excavate.
#33 Trash depth in this part of the
#34 site is relatively shallow (6 to
7' below ground)
1520 Go over to the trailer to discuss
weekend plans at the site. YECI
will not be onsite this weekend.
HTI might only pre-excavate on
Sunday. Tomorrow, the KP
building will be demolished.
1600 off site

end

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- 0820 On site
Weather sunny, 20°F, breezy.
Midwest was on site at 0630 this
morning to demolish the building.
In about 30 minutes, the building
was down. They are now working
on the foundation slab.
0845 Go over to OFCA. Midwest
is working on moving the founda-
tion slab. Took 5 pictures of
the operation.
#1 to #5 HTI continues to pre-trench and
remove debris along the south
leg of the barrier wall.
0945 Midwest continues to remove founda-
tion slab - the building debris
is being moved over to the building
debris spoils area.
1024 #6, #7, #8 Building demolition
activities.
1150 #8 Building demolition complete.
The area is being graded.
1255 off site

end

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0915 On site

Weather: sunny; 30°F
windchill -1°F

Meet up with Lee. HTI continued the pre-trenching activities on Saturday and Sunday. The sand in the south east region of the OFCA appeared to be like Colfax sand. I emphasized to Lee that even if there is no trash in this area, any soils excavated in this area should be either left in place or handled in accordance with spoils plan.

0940 HTI is still working on their trencher box. They also continue to pre-trench in the southeast region of the OFCA.

Ben is having a meeting with David 150 at the trailer.

Will have to wait for Ben to check up on what YECI

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is today and rest of the week.

1015 Ben indicated YECI is putting together the concrete vault and the three concrete manholes today and hopefully will start the discharge piping installation tomorrow.

1035 HTI continues to pre-trench in the southeast region of the OFCA.

1125 The concrete vault for the discharge #9 system assembled on site.

(Looking north)

1145 Leave site to drop off plan rolls for development.

1200 Break for lunch

1250 Back to the site. HTI is still at lunch.

1320 HTI continues to pre-trench.

1445 Had some discussions with Ben about excavated materials along the south leg of the barrier wall. I indicated as long as I am assured that these soils will be re-used at exactly same location

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the excavated soils in this area can be placed temporarily along trench side. Otherwise they should be handled in accordance with the spoils plan.

1520 Go over by the pre-trenching areas near the ex-KP bldg location. They had uncovered an abandoned concrete vault with sand in it. It probably was a septic tank. Soils excavated around this area would not be re-used and was handled in accordance with spoils plan. The excavated soils from this area which could be re-used have been temporarily placed behind the PCB-soil pile since placing them alongside the trench would have caused inconvenience.

#10, #11 Septic tank uncovered during
1525 pre-trenching (looking

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north/northwest)

1535 #12, #13 Pre-trenching in the southeast region of the DECA.

1612 #14 the three manholes for the discharge system (looking north)

1640 off site

end

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0900 On site

Weather: sunny, windy, 50°F

Meet up with Ben. HTI continues to do pre-trenching in the OFCA. will probably wrap it up today. YECI should be starting excavation for discharge system this morning.

1015 HTI completes barrier wall pre-trenching activities. will begin pre-trenching for extraction trenches this afternoon.

1045 YECI begins installation of #15 discharge system by installing the northernmost diffuser manhole.

1145 Break for lunch

1240 Back to the site

1335 YECI continues to work on the #16 discharge system, northernmost leg of the system. (looking south)

1405 #17 the 4-inch pipe snapped. the YECI getting it up to re-fuse the pipe again.

1455 #18 the northernmost leg of the discharge system almost complete. (looking south)

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1520 YECI completes installation of northernmost leg of the discharge system. the excavated soils will all be put back in the trench.

1535 YECI begins to set trench for central leg of the discharge system.

1600 Lee told me HTI is done for the day. they did not start pre-trenching extraction trenches 13 and 14. the trencher is almost ready to go. the barrier wall installation might start back up tomorrow. HTI has covered all excavated drums in the OFCA waiting to be overpacked, with plastic temporarily.

1625 YECI is halfway down the central leg of the discharge system.

1640 off site

end

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0840 on site

Weather: cloudy, windy, 35°F
YECI continues to excavate
central leg of the discharge system

0900 #19, #20 YECI is almost done
with the central leg of the discharge
system

0930 Begin back-filling

1015 Setting up for the southern most of
the discharge

#21/1035 Excavating for the manhole

#22/1058 lowering the manhole

#23/1115 Continue to excavate and
install piping

1150 Break for lunch. Lee told me
HTI continues to ~~soil~~ pre-trench
at extraction trench #13.

1250 Back to the site.

1315 YECI continues to install piping
for the discharge structure.

1415 HTI resumes construction of
barrier wall

1530 YECI completes installation of
south leg of the discharge system.
will begin the installation of

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vault tomorrow

#24 } HTI resumes construction of
#25 } barrier wall a few feet south of
#26 } the original panel which was
installed last week

1610 HTI is done for the day. They installed
about 50' or so between stations
19 and 20.

7615 Called Sherie and gave her an
update. She indicated abandon-
ment of ACS production wells will
take place in about four weeks.

#27 Re-trenching extraction trench #13
(looking north). HTI accidentally
hit air & water conveyance piping
installed by YECI. YECI would have
to re-rune the pipes later.

1650 YECI continues to back-fill the
area which was excavated for
southing of the discharge system.

1645 off site

end

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0915 on site

Weather: cloudy, 35°F

One of the YECI crew members informed me that they do not plan on doing vault until Monday

because of extremely wet conditions.

They are going to install septic tank between today and tomorrow.

Some electrical and mechanical

work is going on with the PGCS

trench and conveyance piping.

0930 Mark Travers and Pete Vagt are onsite for the weekly meetings.

0950 Ben gave me an update about ongoing and upcoming activities.

Cleanwater startups of the PGCS will begin the week of 3/10/97.

1020 Andy of HTI indicated they plan to complete 300' of barrier wall by the end of the day.

1100 Called Sheri and let her know that meeting with the city onsite has been postponed. She discussed residential well sampling during the upcoming quarterly event. She asked

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me to drive around and verify the well locations are in the vulnerable zone.

1145 Break for lunch

1250 Back to the site

HTI is not doing any pre-trenching today. HTI is almost ready to start installing the second panel of the barrier wall.

1345 HTI begins moving the sand over to extraction trench #14 location.

1430 HTI continues to install the barrier wall.

1515 After about 15' of the second panel, HTI shut down due to problems with bentonite feed system apparently due to steady rain.

1530 YECI did not install septic tank. They basically worked on mechanical/electrical work on the PGCS piping.

1550 off site

end

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0900 on site

Weather: 45°F, heavy rains
Met up with Armelle, Ben and
Lee are not onsite. Armelle
indicated YECI is already
offsite and will be back
Monday 2/24/97 to begin
working on the discharge
system. HTI is still working
on the bentonite feed system
and they don't anticipate
getting started today.
Only some electrical work
inside the bldg will take
place today. She indicated
Lee and Ben were onsite this
morning and left only after
talking with HTI about
scheduling. I requested Armelle
to keep me posted during
about HTI's progress on getting
the bentonite feed system
fixed.

1005 off site

end

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0900 on site

Weather: sunny; 20°F
Met up with Ben and Lee. YECI
is not onsite yet. Lee told me
HTI got started yesterday after-
noon but only after installing
20 more feet of barrier wall, they
got shut down again due to
problems with their bentonite feed
system. This morning HTI continues
to work on the feed system.
They probably would be able to begin
barrier wall installation earlier
late this morning ~~and~~ ^{and} an early
afternoon.

1025 YECI onsite

1040 Lee told me HTI has not yet
completed pre-trenching and
trash removal from extraction
trench #13 and #14. They are
halfway through the trench #13.

1100 YECI plans to make conveyance
piping connections to the three P605
sumps and simultaneously
develop them.

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- 1150 Break for lunch
- 1245 Back to the site. Take a drive towards the south end of the OFCA.
- 1315 YECI begins to set up at north sump of the PGCS
- 1400 #28 Connect the adaptor to the conveyance piping at the north PGCS sump
- 1435 #27 Begin development of the north PGCS sump (looking north-northwest)
- 1440 Ben indicated conveyance piping will be connected to the sump as soon as development is completed. He said up to 2000 gallons may be pumped from each of the sumps
- 1445 While the pumping at north sump is on, YECI begins to set up at central PGCS sump and attach the adaptor to the conveyance piping.
- 1500 Some problems are being encountered with the pump. YECI will set a

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- different pump for development. Nearly no water has been pumped so far.
- 1505 #30 Electric work at the north PGCS sump (looking west)
- 1515 #31 Conveyance piping being fused for sump connection at the central PGCS sump (looking north)
- 1545 #32 Begin conveyance piping fusing at the south PGCS sump location. (looking west)
- 1635 off site

end

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0845 ensile

Weather: sunny; 25°F

Meet up with Ben. HTI continues to work on the bentonite seal system which clogged up again after going only 5 feet. So far 150 feet or so of barrier wall has been installed. HTI might begin pre-trenching/trash removal & extraction trench 14 and complete extraction trench 13. YECI will continue to work on connecting conveyance piping to the PGCS sumps and sump development activities.

0915 YECI setting up at north PGCS sump. They are having lot of problems with the pump. All pumped water will be transferred into a 4000-gallon breaker tank.

1000 YECI completes conveyance piping connection to the north PGCS sump. Enough water was pumped out of the excavation to facilitate hook-up. Develop-

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ment of the sump will be done later

1020 Set up at central PGCS sump

location and begin excavating

1035 #33 Excavating at the central PGCS sump (looking north)

1050 #34 water is being pumped into the breaker tank at the central PGCS sump (looking southwest)

1110 During excavation, the sump #35 casing was accidentally bent and some electrical piping was snapped. HTI crew is on hand to assess the situation. Will have to excavate further down to assess if there has been any damage to the PGCS extraction piping. HTI will come back with a bigger pump and will try to desludge the hole first.

1145 Ben said the 6" extraction trench piping is connected to 4" vertical steel casing with the help of a reducer. Ben indicated the snap may have occurred at the reducer. Will be able to tell exactly

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what happened after the dewatering
and further excavation.

1205 Break for lunch

1255 Back to the site.

Meet up with HTI. They will
continue to pre-excavate extrac-
tion trench 13 and 14 this
afternoon. Will probably
start the barrier wall by
noon tomorrow.

1330 YEC1 is setting up at the
south PGCS sump location
to connect conveyance piping

1345 #36 YEC1 excavating and
dewatering the south PGCS
sump to facilitate conveyance
piping hook-up. (looking
north)

1420 #1, #2 YEC1 hooking up the
conveyance piping to the
south PGCS sump

1445 Begin to backfill

1515 off site

end

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0845 Onsite

Weather: cloudy, 33°F, breezy
Meet up with Ben. YEC1 will
basically be doing some patch-up
work. They installed septic sight
outside the treatment bldg yesterday.
They were not able to pump the
central PGCS sump excavation
day to assess the situation.
Nothing would be done today in
that matter.

HTI was able to get going yest-
erday and installed approx. 150' of
barrier wall. Due to overnight
rains, storm water has pooled
at various benchered locations.
As HTI moves along with Barrier
wall, they will pump this water
away from the benchered area.

Near the former KP building loca-
tion, HTI put in a temporary
drain pipe along the chain-link
fence in order to avoid washing
away of the fence.
Likely, contractors mig will begin

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shortly.

0915 GID over by OFCA to check up on HTI. They have not yet wrapped up pre-excitation of trench #13 (still about 30' to go). They have not even started trench #14.

0935 HTI continues to install barrier.

0955 #3, #4 stormwater was being pumped away from leached locations

1005 Drums excavated from the #5 leaching/pre-excitation activities were temporarily covered with plastic (looking north-north-west.)

1010 HTI continues to install #6 barrier wall (looking west)

1035 #7 Dry bentonite being fed through the hopper (looking southwest)

1105 The third roll is close to being done.

1115 Due to some problems with

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safety equipment, HTI stops.

Will break for early lunch. Will be setting up to attach a new roll after lunch.

1150 Break for lunch

1235 Back to the site.

HTI is not back to the site yet.

1310 Begin to set up to install the barrier wall.

1320 Talked to Sheri. She will be onsite this afternoon.

1350 Meet up with Ben. He said treatment system testing will begin on 3/3/97 and continue until 3/21/97.

1415 On over to OFCA. HTI is working #8 on adding the fourth roll. Having #9 some problems.

1520 HTI continues to work on adding the fourth roll for barrier wall.

They have not completed or plan to complete trenches 13 and 14 any time soon due to ^{problems in} getting some backfill material from off site.

1550 Ben told me an electrician is on site brought in by HTI to check

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on the trencher pump wiring

1605 Lee told me the electrician is not 40-hr OSHA trained. I indicated EPA does not approve of that. Lee said they had no other option and moreover the electrician is going to be accompanied by HES officer and will be in the exclusion ^{zone} at the most 15 minutes.

1620 Lee said HTI is almost done with adding the fourth panel and will start the wall installation tomorrow morning.

1635 off site

end

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0850 on site

Weather: partly cloudy, 35°

0910 Sheari on site. Lee said its going to be another hour before HTI can get going. NaOH and HNO_3 are being delivered to the site.

0920 Begin updating Sheari on various activities at the site. Sheari covered the PGCS extraction piping and the central PGCS sump where problems were encountered.

1000 Get ready to go over to EFCA

1020 HTI is having some problems with bentonite feed system.

#10 Addition of fourth panel was made successfully (looking southwest)

1130 HTI is still working on the feed system. They have only proceeded 15' with this roll.

1155 Break for lunch

1255 Back to the site trailer.

1315 Go over to the landfill area to watch HTI from there.

1420 HTI has moved 30' with the fourth panel. They continue to

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- Have some minor problems
- 1500 Talked to Keith Schilling of MW's Des Moines office about confusion in sample IDs for MW-52 and MW-53. He said he will fax their chain-of-custody form to the office for Steve Mxxxxxx to look at.
- 1525 Go over to OFCA.
- 1620 HTI almost done with the fourth panel. They will be working on adding the fifth panel today and tomorrow.
- 1645 off site

end

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- 0940 onsite
- weather: cloudy, 50°F
- Go over to the Kaden Rd junction to see what HTI is doing. Will watch from outside the fence.
- 0955 The trencher seems to be on hold.
- 1025 Meet up with Ben. HTI has not gotten going yet due to some minor problems. They would probably get started after lunch.
- 1040 Told Ben given HTI's progress for the day, I would not check around to see if they get started. Told Ben I would be back Monday.
- 1055 off site

end

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0900 on site

Weather: sunny; 40°F

Meet up with Ben. HTI installed approximately 170 feet (15+70 to 14+00) on Saturday and 200 feet (14+00 to 12+00) on Sunday

0910 HTI has not started this morning yet. They are on the eighth panel and should be starting soon.

0920 YECI on site. They would be decommissioning their equipment this morning and probably get started on the valve vault this afternoon.

1010 Go over the 2/26/97 Spoils Plan Addendum

1025 HTI has still ^{not} moved any further this morning

1030 #11 Barrier wall installed near the south west corner of the DFCA.

#12 Buried waste spoils area (left) and demolition debris mgmt

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Area (right)

1055 HTI gets started for the day

1110 Finish eight toll hole set ready for 9th toll.

1120 Talked with Steven about 2/26/97 Addendum to Spoils Plan

1150 Break for lunch

1235 Back to the site. YECI has not yet started working on the vault.

1250 HTI still working on adding 9th toll. Doc told me HTI is short-staffed today so things would be slow.

#13 Adding another (9th) toll at the south leg of the barrier wall

1400 #14 YECI tries to lift the valve vault with the help of two excavators (looking west)

1500 YECI could not finally lift the vault and decided they would have to build a ramp and drag the vault to the desired location.

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1550 HTI still has not moved any
#15 further with the 9th roll.
Talked to Ben. Apparently, the
joint between 8th and 9th roll
came apart. HTI is currently
shut down. Ben said he is
going to meet with HTI shortly
to find out exactly what
happened and how they can
proceed further.

1610 Two tasks were completed by
Bowen today. Venting was
provided to the compressor
room and carbon canisters
were activated with clean
water.

1705 off site

end

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0845 On site

Weather: partly cloudy; 40°F
Meet up with Ben. HTI will
continue with the wall this after-
noon. They will leave the gap
between the two rolls for now
and close it later. A labor inten-
sive procedure is involved in manufac-
turing these "closers" per HTI.
YECI has moved the vault to
the desired location and have
just begun excavating.

#16 Bowen setting up to sterilize
the H₂O₂ tank and associated
piping. Portions of the building
are covered with plastic to avoid
splashing of nitric acid. Used
nitric acid will be contained
in the black vertical tank.

Ben said HTI might develop
#17 the P/GS pumps today and install
the well caps.

0945 YECI begin installing steel sheetpiles

#18 to facilitate vault installation

#19

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- 1030 YECI is having lot of problems in excavating inspite of shovels. Decide to stop for now and come up with different procedure.
- 1045 Ben indicated YECI & HTI might work on the central PGCS sump.
- 1055 HTI continues to install the well caps on north and south PGCS sumps. They will not develop the sumps today.
- 1140 HTI will not be able to get the trencher back in the ground until late tomorrow.
- 1155 Called Sheri and gave her an update. Requested filming to be cancelled for tomorrow.
- 1210 Break for lunch
- 1255 Back to the site. Go over by HTI. They continue to work on the trencher.
- 1330 HTI working on the drainier wall trencher after a nap between 8th and 9th joll.
- 1410 (Looking north)
- #22 HTI installed a well cap at the

- North PGCS sump (looking southwest)
- 1450 HTI completed installing well cap at the south PGCS sump.
- 1500 YECI is going to finish up some minor tasks tomorrow and work on the central PGCS sump.
- 1530 Bowen & Vegan Environmental continue to work on sterilization of peroxide system.
- 1540 Lee and Ben offsite for 8-hr defroster.
- 1545 Armelle gave a copy of water level measurements which were conducted related to PGCS PSVP.

Well/Rezometer	Depth to water from TDS
MW3	3.71
MW4	4.97
MW11	4.70
P23	4.81
P24	3.24
P25	3.35
P26	3.19
P27	6.83

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P28 8.87

P40 4.89

P41 4.00

1550 called Sheri and left a
message for tomorrow's plan.

1610 off site

end

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1040 on site

Weather: sunny, 40°F

HTI has rolled about 120' of
the 9th roll. About 8' to go on this
roll, there was some trouble with
the bentonite feed system.

1130 HTI continues to work on the
feed system of the trencher.

1215 HTI breaks for lunch

Lee kept on site today. Lee told
me HTI has solved the problems
and will begin after lunch.

Lee said if HTI progresses enough
by the end of the day, they may
take tomorrow off.

1250 HTI still not able to move. They
will be changing the roll soon.

1345 Decided to leave site since
HTI does not seem to make
any progress. Told Ben and Lee
to keep me posted.

end

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0845 on site
Weather: sunny; 40°F
Ben told me HTI came to
agreement with the ISO union.
Right now, HTI is in the
process of signing in the union
guys. HTI will soon begin
installing the 10th roll. YECI
is not on site yet.

0915 Lee and Ben will soon go into
a training for peroxide unit
operations.

0945 HTI still not on yet. They
had changed the roll yesterday
and have not moved since
then.

0955 Called Steve and Shari and
left messages with the update.

1010 #23 Site water pump from
PACS pumps being transferred
from one tank to another
tank through a two-carbon
and a filter unit prior to
testing and disposal.

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1030 #24 Approx 5 to 6' wide gap was
left between 8th and 9th roll (looking
north)

1055 HTI begins installing the wall. After
5' or so, they stop for bentonite feed

1205 Break for lunch

1310 HTI continues with wall installation.
Ben said YECI is on site now and
will set up to install the valves for
discharge system. They have decided
to do away with the vault and will
just bury the valves like in
PACS trench piping.

1350 HTI has moved 15' with the
#25 10th roll. (looking north)

1420 HTI is on a hold for some reason.

1430 Go back to Ben at the trailer. He
was in the exclusion zone to
find out from HTI what's wrong.

1455 Ben came back and informed
me that they have a problem
with O-ring of the feed hose.
Don't know how its going to
take to fix today.

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1535 Ben indicated he believes
HTI is not going to be able
to do any wall today
1600 off site

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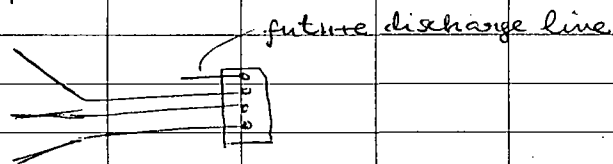
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0900 on site
Weather: sunny; 35°F
HTI still has not moved any distance
with the wall. Arnelle told me they
will be starting up again shortly.
0945 HTI begins wall installation
1035 HTI continues wall installation
1045 # 26 Barrier wall installation
at the SE corner of OFCA (looking
north)
1120 Finish up this roll and begin getting
set up for roll change.
1215 Break for lunch
1315 Back to the site. HTI continues to
do the roll change. Will put on
11th roll.
1345 YECI is struggling to install
the valves without the vault.
The conditions are extremely diffi-
cult because of mud and wet
soils. This area has become extremely
difficult to maneuver.
1400 YECI will be burying the valves
several feet north of the original
vault location. So far they have

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installed one of the discharge lines
upto the valve location.



1530 HTI completed addition of 11th cell
with some problems. They also
backfilled areas of the wall
prior to this function. Will start
shortly.

#27 HTI installing barrier wall at the
SE corner of OFCA (looking west)

1610 #28 YECI working on the discharge
system near the PGCS extraction
trench (looking north)

1625 HTI has moved about 6 feet within
the 11th cell.

1630 Tom Froman of ACS told me he
would like to walk me through
his construction plans for stormwater
inflow system sometime next week.

1635 Pete Vapt is on site and watching
the HTI crew.

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1645 HTI hit some big pieces of
rock and lost some teeth in
the trencher. Shut down for the
day

1650 YECI has wrapped up for the day.
They have installed discharge
piping all the way up to the
PGCS trench.

1710 off site

end

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0900 onsite

weather: partly cloudy, 35°F

HTI continues to install the

11" roll. Start-up work inside
the treatment building continues

0940 #29 YECI continues to install
the discharge piping south/east
of the PICS trench. (looking
west)

1120 #30 Montgomery Watson personnel
conducting perimeter air
monitoring during barrier wall
installation (looking south-
west)

1125 HTI has gone about 40' with
the 11" roll. They continue to
have minor problems with the
trencher. They encountered some
rocks mixed in with clay.

1140 #31 YECI continues to work
on the effluent discharge valve
trench.

1205 Break for lunch

1300 Back to the site. HTI is still
on hold. Sand trucks are

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delivering sand to the OFCA.

1310 Called Steve and gave
them updates.

1335 YECI continues to do pressure testing
of the discharge lines.

1435 YECI is struggling with pressure
testing. HTI still has not gotten
it going yet.

1505 YECI begins to put together some
valve assemblies (total of 4)
to be put in ground tomorrow.

1535 HTI has not made any progress.
They are trying to figure out how
to avoid hitting rocks.

1620 off site.

end

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1030 on site (got in late due to car problems)

Weather: sunny; 35°F, windy.
Arnold came by and told me HTI is still trying to come up with a solution to avoid hitting rocks underground.

In the meantime, they will get started on doing extraction well #12 this afternoon.

YECI continues to work on the discharge system valves.

Montgomery Watson has two engineers on file from Salt Lake City office to review the system start-up process.

1140 #32 YECI installing the effluent discharge system valve assembly.

1215 Break for lunch

1315 Back to the site. HTI continues to fix the barrier wall trencher. Apparently, they will begin installing the extraction well

#12 and #13 this afternoon.

1345 Reporter ^{ARR} ~~Steve~~ Smith stopped by and asked a few questions.

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1430 #33 YECI installing the third valve assembly.

1510 HTI begins to pre-trench and backfill with sand at extraction trench #13.

1540 #34 site water is being disposed off in the 20,000-gallon Baker tank after treatment.

1550 #35, #36 YECI completes installation of manifold and valve assembly for the discharge system.

1625 HTI continues to do pre-trenching at extraction trench #13.

Ben told me Joe Adams of MW is onsite today.

Ben also indicated that they have a total of five 20,000-gallon Baker tanks onsite to hold the site water after treatment and that they are eagerly waiting to get EPA's approval on discharge sampling plan. They have a total of 40,000 gallons accumulated so far.

1640 off site

end

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0915 on site

HTI has made no progress with the barrier wall. The trencher is still at the corner of Colfax. HTI is getting set up to do extraction trench #13. YECI has left for the weekend and they will be back Monday.

0945 Pick up the TIMES newspaper and check up on the article written by Scott Smith.

0955 Meet up with Lee and Ben.

Todd is also on site today.

They are going through a 4-hr UV radiation training. Todd indicated he has no idea on barrier wall progress. As far as he knows, HTI is supposed to keep working on the trencher and get the barrier wall installation going as soon as possible.

1015 Go over to the landfill area to check up on HTI. They are

set up at trench #13 but seem to be on hold due to some equipment troubles.

1045 Talked with Sheri regarding various issues. She asked to call Pete Vagt directly to find out about sampling schedule.

1120 Called Pete Vagt. He confirmed the sampling schedule for the week of March 24, 1997.

1135 Called Steve M and confirmed the sampling schedule.

1210 Break for lunch

1310 Back to the site.

Lee, Ben and Todd are still in training. Lee came by and told me HTI is done for the day. They have had a major breakdown in the extraction trench machine.

1345 Wanted to get all the info on start-up activities inside the treatment bldg but Ben said he would rather sit down with me on Monday.

1400 Leave site to get oil change on

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the truck and check around
to see if I can ^{set} the slide
film as Sheri had requested

1530 Head home

end

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0915 On site

Weather: cloudy, cold, 32°F

HTI did not do any work over
the weekend and yesterday.

Ben told me YECI, with the
help of HTI, managed to repair the
north PGCS sump and currently
are in the process of repairing
the central PGCS sump. HTI may
begin barrier wall installation
tomorrow and as far as extrac-
tion wells are concerned, no schedule
is known as of yet.

0950 #1 YECI is using the vac truck
to keep the excavation dry
(looking north east)

1010 #2 YECI is repairing the central
PGCS sump. (looking north)

1030 Meet up with Ben to talk about
progress so far with the treatment
system. Ben gave me a written
schedule which was followed
during the system start up
activities.

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- 1110 #3 YECI completes the repair of the central PCCS sump (looking northeast) with the exception of surface completion and backfilling.
- 1130 Break for lunch.
- 1215 Back to the site.
- 1230 #4 YECI completed the installation of manifold/discharge valve assembly (looking west).
- 1235 Ben indicated they have approx. 80,000 gallons of treated site water waiting to be disposed of. They would also generate 43,000 gallons/day during 72-hr site water testing.
- 1245 They (YECI) should wrap up their work today.
- 1250 Tom Froman will meet with me soon to discuss his stormwater construction plans.
- 1310 Go over to Tom Froman's office. He explained to me his construction plans and also gave me

a copy of construction drawing
1400 Leave for office.

end

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0900 On site

Weather: sunny; 40°F

Met up with Lee. HTI will not be able to do any intrusive work today. Probably tomorrow they might get situated. This morning or yesterday afternoon, Ben and Tom Froman of ACS had traversed and marked with a spray paint the barrier wall alignment inside the plant. Midwest Material Service (MMS) of Hammond, Indiana is onsite today to begin pre-trenching along the barrier wall alignment inside the plant. Ron MacFarlane of MMS is supervising the digging operations. He is also responsible for air monitoring. Ben had indicated the operation would take 2 to 3 days.

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0940 #5 MMS begins pre-trenching inside the plant.

The pre-trenching would consist of digging 4 to 6 feet deep and backfilling it with excavated materials. The objective of this operation is to see if there are any drums / obstructions etc. along barrier wall alignment.

1000 #6 Some debris being excavated during pre-trenching.

Ben indicated that during this operation, they will note the locations and depths where any debris, rock or other materials other than native or backfill sand is encountered. This would help HTI to do only selective pre-excavation prior to barrier wall installation.

1015 Ben said YECI is going to demobilize from the site today at least for now. They are in the process of decontaminating all their equipment. The water is being dewatered.

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and the soil washings are being moved to the upper aquifer spoils area.

1030 #7 Perched water and debris encountered during pre-trenching.

1115 Break for lunch.

1210 Back to the site. Asked Ben ~~that~~ ^{MR} if a drum will be available next week for Black & Veatch sampling crew.

1220 Continue to pre-trench inside the plant.

1240 #8, #9 Concrete debris encountered during pre-trenching. Moderate odors observed in this area.

1310 Ron told me the readings are increasing as we are moving north. He has been occasionally see a max. reading on HNU - basically spikes but no sustained readings.

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1320 #10 First sign of a drum. This was a cracked drum with residual contents oozing out. The material looked like tar.

1345 MMS continues to encounter debris, concrete and other miscellaneous materials during pre-trenching.

1400 Called Steve and left a message.

1410 Called Steve and updated him on the pre-trenching operation.

1430 Leave for the airport.

and

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1230 Arrive at site. Site trailer locked. Appeared that Montgomery Watson was out for lunch. Drive to barrier wall work site in the Offsite Containment Area. Nothing is happening with the trenching, but workers are loading slurry into smaller tank trailers.

1315 Ben and Lee arrive at site from lunch. Site in at site trailer. Day is sunny about 50°.

1330 Walk from site trailer to the trenching work along the North side of the plant. Had encountered drums (2) and scrap metal. Midway Excavation is digging to about 5 feet below land surface, and then pushing soil back into the trench. Will probably work over to Colfax Road by end of day.

1345 Drive with Lee over to the barrier wall machine, which is idle. Crew member of HTI says will start up in about 1 hour.

1410 Back to site trailer to

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call for messages, leave site for better phone.

1440 Back at site. Walk over to the trenching along North side of plant. Saw drum lid and water at about 2 to 3 feet b/s. Distinct volatile odor. Backhoe operator has begun backfilling the trench. Head over to the barrier wall trencher.

1515 Machine is idle. Crew working on setting up the machine. Machine is turned on and about 1 foot of HDPE is placed before machine is shut down. Apparently the cutting and placement box is not functioning properly.

1600 HTI is talking about pulling the box out of the ground and inspecting it for problems. Begin to remove hoses. Large group from Montgomery Watson here along with HTI management to observe activity.

1640 leave site

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0900 on site

Weather: sunny; 50°F

MMS is working on the pre-trenching inside the plant.

0930 MMS completes trenching

Todd indicated he will ask

MMS to do some grading

work / ditch work around the treatment bldg but no spoils

will be generated. Todd said

he will give me a copy of

the findings during trenching as provided by MMS later.

Basically, barrier wall will be installed to go around the drum area as indicated by Todd.

0945 An over to DECA to check up on HTI.

1000 HTI begins installing extraction well/trenches #13.

1015 HTI down for a few minutes due to some problems with the trencher.

1105 HTI is still down - MMS

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Continued to do grading / ditch

work around the treatment bldg.

#11, #12 1130 HTI continues to fix problems with the barrier wall trencher.

1135 HTI said they might be able to get started with extraction well/trench work early afternoon.

1200 Break for lunch

1245 Back to the site. HTI is still on lunch.

1255 MMS continues to work around the treatment bldg.

1315 MMS constructed drainage swales #13 around the treatment bldg.

#14

1335 #15 The septic tank manhole was protected with four steel columns set in concrete.

1345 HTI indicated that it will be two to three hours before they can get going with the extraction well. Regarding barrier wall trencher, they are going to have a structural Engineer

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Came out today and take a
look at the trenches.

1350 Called Steve and Sheri and
gave them an update.

Left a message for Sheri

1400 Leave site

end

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0915 On site

Weather: cloudy, 35°F

Lee told me HTI installed extrac-
tion wells #12 and #13 between
last Friday and the weekend.

They plan to install couple of more
extraction wells today. Sampling
crew is on site and is taking
water levels and will start
sampling tomorrow.

0940 Called Steve and talked about
sampling next this week.

1000 Jeff Lowisby, Armitt, Phil Smith,
Mark and John of MW are onsite
for the sampling event. Jeff said
they will level wells water
levels sometime this afternoon.

1030 #16 MMS completed the drainage
swale on Friday along the
ACS fence (looking south).

1045 Go over to OPCA. HTI continues to
set up at extraction well #15.

1100 Taking water level measurement
#17 at ARMW-4D. Water level was
at 13.5' and depth of well was

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41.0' from the top of casing.
1130 Break for lunch
1215 Back to the site
1225 HTI is still working on the extraction well trencher. Lee told me that approx 700 gallons from the south PGCS sump. Ben indicated that during repair work, the north and central sums were pumped for more than 20,000 gallons combined and that will suffice. No more development activities are planned for these sums.
1310 Go over to the landfill to take water levels on piezometers. Measurements will be taken by Phil Smith. MW sampling crew is trying to figure out where would they get hold of landfill well keys since they were not sure if city consultant was notified regarding today's event.

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	Well/Piezometer	Water Level (feet)
1340	P-3	16.30'
1350	P-16	13.80'
1355	P-17	20.29'
1400	Ron Cooper stopped by and he came get the keys to the landfill wells from his supervisor who will get here shortly.	
1415	P-15	7.52'
1440	City Supervisor stopped by with keys. Bush taking measurements.	
#18	M-15	4.47'
	M-17	13.27'
1450	M-45	3.15'
#19	M-47	8.61'
#20	MW-35 appeared to be damaged. No water levels could be taken.	
1505	#21 M-55	4.11'
	M-57	9.43'
1520	#22 M-35	1.33'
	M-37	7.36'
	The wells M-35 and M-37 were submerged under a standing pool of water.	

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1530 #23 { M-25 6.91
 { M-2D 12.22

1540 P-18 7.69

1545 BACK to the trailer.

1600 I had seen some leaks in the classifier tank and water was flowing to the floor sump. Mentioned to Ben about this.

Ben said the leak is due to manufacturer's defect and will be fixed shortly.

1620 HTI begins installation of extraction well #16 just south of the OFCA entrance by the railroad tracks.

1640 HTI stops. Don't know what the reason for hold up is.

1705 HTI still trying to fix the trencher.

1715 Leave site

end

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0740 On site

Weather: drizzling, cold, 40°F

Steve M., Bal Berne and Ed.

Lantz of B&V are also on site.

Today we will begin second quarterly sampling

0800 Begin unloading all sampling equipment and coolers into the treatment bldg. Steve M. gave a copy of all split wells list to the sampling crew.

0810 Go over to OFCA to check on HTI. #24 HTI is in the process of installing EW #16.

0840 #1, #2 HTI almost done with EW #16.

0850 #3 HTI completes the EW #16.

0910 Picked up some sampling supplies from the trailer and dropped off at the treatment bldg where sampling crews set up.

0925 Met with Tom Froman. He said MMS will begin stormwater construction tomorrow.

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0940 HTI will begin EW #15 sometime this afternoon

0955 Begin labelling the sample tags. Bal and Rob are out with sampling crews. The split samples will be taken at MW-40 and MW-42 later today.

1115 Scott Radley from B&V Philby office is on site

1200 Leave site to buy some ice, vermiculite and disposable camera

1250 Back to the site. All sampling crews are back to the bldg.

1300 Leave for lunch

1350 Back to the site. Show of USEPA on site. There was a

lot of confusion regarding sampling of landfill wells.

Jeff Ramsby talk with Ron Cooper of City of Lingfield and scheduled the sampling on 3/27/97 at 8:30 AM.

1430 Discussed a number of issues

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with Shrek such as drums, sampling, discharge approval, etc.

1600 Shrek off site

1605 Go over to OFCA. HTI is in the process of installing EW #15

1640 #4 HTI continues to sample ^{AWR} install the EW #15

1700 Drop off SOP and H&S field copy with Scott Radley who is overseeing sampling crew is at MW-7.

1720 Back to HTI. They have completed #5 50' of the extraction well #15.

1730 HTI also continues to work on the #6 barrier wall trencher

1735 #7 After a snap at SE corner of OFCA, HTI will begin barrier wall installation at this point.

1800 HTI completes EW #15.

1810 Leave the site

end

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0800 onsite

Weather: sunny; 45°F

HTI is getting ready to put the barrier wall trencher in the ground and should begin barrier wall installation sometime this afternoon. Also, this morning HTI will set up to do EW #10 which might need some prior debris removal. Lee said they are still working on installation of pumps inside the PGCS snags. Sampling crews are already onsite.

0818 Go over to OFCA. HTI continues to work on the barrier wall trencher.

0955 Begin moving the extraction well trencher over to EW #10 location inside the ACS plant.

1030 HTI setting up the barrier wall trencher.

1050 HTI begins barrier wall #8 installation at the SE corner of OFCA.

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1135 HTI has installed 30 feet of #9 barrier wall.

1155 Break for lunch.

1250 Back to the site.

1330 Rob stopped by and asked me to co-ordinate the sample handling and sample shipment activities. Following samples have been collected so far:

1) MW28 972804501 GWD1 5-164668-72, 73

3/25/97 1245 (GW sample ^{AKR} not collected)

2) MW23 972804513 GWD3 5-164496-88,
5-164362, 63

3/26/97 0900

3) MW40 972804512 GWD2 5-164556-61

3/26/97 1215

4) MW51 972804502 GWD2 5-164674-79

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1415 Go over by EW #10 where HTI is #10 pos-excavating. All excavated #11 materials are going into the upper #12 aquifer spoils area.

1430 Barrier wall installation is on hold due to some equipment

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breakdown.

1520 Go over by the bldg to help out
with sampling paperwork

⑤ Prepare a trip blank.

Ro1 AKR-TBOT 972B04TBO1 5-164402, 03
3/26/97 1540

⑥ MW42 972B04503 GW03

5-164680-85

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1630 Go over to OFCA. HTI continues to
#13 install barrier wall along colfax.

Also noticed some of the colfax
sand is being taken over to
EW#10 to be used as backfill
subsequent to debris removal.

1645 Due to some equipment trouble,
barrier wall installation stops
after about 80 feet of this all.

1655 HTI continues to backfill and
prepare for EW#10.

1658 Called CPL to see if Rob had
arrived with the samples

1725 #14 Begin installing EW#10
with sump at the east end.

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1800 Go over to the bldg and help
scott ^{AKR} collect the onsite blanks

⑦ RBO1 ^{AKR} 3/26/97 1800 5-164410-415

1820 ^{RO2} #15, #16 HTI almost done with
EW10

1830 Leave site

end

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0800 on site

Weather sunny, 60°F

Ben told me HTI is currently shut down as far as transfer well goes. They will continue to do the extraction wells #17 and #18 today.

0825 Sheri of USEPA on site. Go over to M-15 where sampling activities are going on.

#17 0850 Sampling at M-15.

Drive around with Sheri to all the landfill wells. M-35 appeared to be in a pool of water. Discuss with Bob and Sheri the appropriateness of sampling M-35 in such circumstances.

0915 Called up Steve to get his opinion. He said as long as well construction is good and impact, the standing water should not make any difference. There may be question marks if the water level inside the

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well is same as standing water level. Sheri said she will discuss with Lucanne before making a decision on M-35 or an alternative well M-55.

1000 Go over by HTI where they are preparing for EW #18.

1010 #18 Measuring the length for EW #18.

1030 Go over by the treatment lldy to help out sampling crew.

③ MW102 GW04 504 3/27/97 0840
5-164686-91

④ M-15 GW05 505 3/27/97 1050
5-164692-97

⑩ M-4D GW06 506 3/27/97 1040
5-164698-99, 5-164700, 5-164895,
5-164720-21

1200 HTI begins installation of EW #18

1225 #19 Installing EW #18 just north of the drum area. No debris or drums were encountered during pre-trenching of two trenches.

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1240 Ben told HTI is going to begin barrier wall only by Tuesday (4/1/97) of next week. Over the weekend they will have only one crew onsite trying to fix the barrier wall trencher.

1255 #20 HTI close to finishing EW18.

1310 Leave for lunch & pick up some supplies

1405 Back to the site.

(11) M-45 1210 3/27/97 510 GW10
5-164896-98, 5-164679-700,
5-164502

(12) MW-14 1422 3/27/97 508 GW08
5-164428-33

(13) ~~MW~~ M-35 1215 3/27/97 509 GW09
5-164997-99, 5-164434-35
5-164501

(14) MW-48 1510 3/27/97 507 GW07
5-164055-58, 5-164424-25
5-164426-27, 5-164059-62
5-164051-54, 5-164422-23

(15) MW-9 1634 3/27/97 ~~GW0~~ GW11
5-164551-55, 5-164899

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AKK2 R03
(16) ~~TS02~~ 1600 3/27/97 5-164490-91
AKK1
R04 ~~TS03~~ 1600 3/27/97 5-164492-93
AKK
R05 ~~TS04~~ 1600 3/27/97 5-164494-95
AKK
R06 ~~TS05~~ 1600 3/27/97 5-164496-97
AKK
R07 ~~TS06~~ 1600 3/27/97 5-164498-99

1800 Meet up with Ben. He said HTI completed EW18 this afternoon and is in the process of completing EW17. I could not oversee HTI's operations due to sampling event.

1805 Jeff of MW told me they cannot sample MW-6 since it is inside the landfill and landfill is closed. Will sample MW-6 tomorrow.

1835 Leave site to drop off samples at FedEx location in South Holland.

end

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0830 on site

Weather: rainy; 45°F

Today we are here to complete quarterly sampling event. Two remaining wells MW-15 & MW-6 will be done today. B&V will split MW-6 with Montgomery Watson with a duplicate collected at the same location.

0900 Landfill is closed. MW-6 is inside the landfill waiting for City personnel to come out and open the gate.

0930 Steve M. leaves the site.

0935 Told Lillian (sampling personnel for next week's residential well sampling) that Bal and Rob will be onsite Monday morning to oversee the split event and collect splits.

1000 Go over to the landfill to do MLU-6 and MW-15 which is also inside the landfill.

1010 Begin purging at MW-6 inside #20 the landfill.

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Time	Temp	S.C.	PH	Turb
1016	13.03°C	4106	6.31	306
1018	12.8°C	4189	6.31	268
1020	12.8°C	4175	6.31	189
1022	14.4°C	4130	6.32	67
1024	14.8°C	4038	6.34	51
1025	14.9°C	4019	6.35	41
1026	14.9°C	4008	6.35	37
1027	14.9°C	4006	6.35	34

1030 Begin sampling MW-6

1110 Complete sampling at MW-6. About 2 gallons of water was purged prior to sampling.

(17) MW-6 3/28/97 1030 514 GW14
5-164404-09

(18) Duplicate MW-6 3/28/97 1030 D14
5-150065-70

(19) ^{AKR} 1027 3/28/97 1120 1027 ^{AKR} R08
5-164500, 5-150071

1145 Break for lunch

1240 Leave to go to CRL.

1430 Reach CRL. Bill Seargent told me he has not received any sample.

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coolers which were shipped yesterday. I showed the air bill. He said he is going to do some checking with Fedex as to what happened.

He said mark all blanks as R01, R02, ... including simate and trip Blanks.

1530 Got the four coolers via Fedex

Told Bill that I will make calls first thing Monday morning to find out what happened to the fifth cooler.

1555 Leave for home

end

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MARCH 23 1997 - ACS SITE

10:40 ARRIVE ON SITE

12:00 GO TO MLDZB w/ MARK WILLIAMS FROM MLDZB

200 ml/min FLOW RATE

TIME	pH	COND	TEMP	TURB
12:15	7.43	617	9.97	180
12:16	7.28	633	10.0	234
12:17	7.27	646	10.15	268
12:18	7.27	634	10.35	279
12:19	7.23	659	10.51	295
12:20	7.27	662	10.59	299

12:25 VOA SAMPLES TAKEN

12:30 MET SAMPLES TAKEN

12:45 AMBER SAMPLES TAKEN

1:05 LUNCH

1:08 PM 11/11

TIME	pH	TEMP	COND	TURB
333	6.30	7.78	330	143
334	6.32	7.89	320	138
335	6.30	8.00	321	297
336	6.29	8.06	323	265
337	6.29	8.10	324	225
338	6.29	8.13	326	204
339	6.29	8.15	327	177
340	6.29	8.18	329	153

FLOW RATE - 1L/min

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TIME	pH	TEMP	COND	TURB
3:41	6.29	8.19	331	135
3:42	6.29	8.21	333	115
3:43	6.30	8.23	334	106
3:44	6.30	8.28	338	94.6
3:45	6.31	8.25	337	90.4

1804 MW-7 100ml/min Flow Rate

TIME	pH	TEMP	COND	TURB
509	9.17	98.6	614	315
510	8.78	10.59	629	288
511	8.48	11.23	647	267
512	8.47	11.14	654	248
513	8.40	11.13	658	238
514	8.35	11.13	663	231

1800 LEANS SITE

MARCH 26 1997

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0700 ARRIVE ON SITE

0715 RAVELING FIELD OFF

0725 CHECKING LABS FOR MW-8 SAMPLES

0745 OVERSITE AT MW-31 W/ MAX 4 LITERS

TIME	pH	TEMP	COND	TURB
7:42	7.50	8.76	565	81.2
7:43	7.48	8.59	581	97
7:44	7.41	8.45	597	124
7:45	7.38	8.44	603	129
7:46	7.36	8.81	617	144
7:47	7.35	8.94	632	160
7:48	7.34	8.97	637	166
7:49	SKIPPED			
7:50	7.23	9.12	648	171

0820 CALLED BY PALM BEACH

0830 PREPARED ICE FOR COCKLES

0850 OVERSITE AT MW-32

TIME	pH	TEMP	COND	TURB
911	8.00	2.29	403	4.8
912	7.57	10.25	438	5.8
913	7.46	10.29	407	22.6
914	7.33	10.33	437	80.4
915	7.30	10.36	494	115.0
916	7.29	10.37	533	155.0
917	7.30	10.41	589	226.0
918	7.30	10.43	614	273.0

MS ④ (MW-32 CONT.)

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
919	7.29	10.48	633	310.0
920	7.30	10.54	645	331.0
921	7.29	10.63	653	327.0

0945 PACKING UP & HEADING BACK TO REMEDIATION BUILDING FOR DECON.

1000 SETUP AT MW36 w/ MARK & LILLIAN

1029 OVERSITE AT MW36 100ml/min Flow Rate

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
1035	7.96	10.13	213	10.8
1036	7.97	10.16	214	22
1037	7.97	10.13	218	34.1
1038	7.98	10.11	223	42.9
1039	7.97	10.09	228	54.4
1040	7.97	10.08	234	66.4
1041	7.96	10.05	241	74.5
1042	7.95	10.06	245	76.5
1043	7.94	10.06	250	78.2

1128 PACKING UP & HEADING BACK TO REMEDIATION BUILDING FOR DECON

1140 LUNCH

1238 ARRIVE BACK AT SITE

1346 SETUP AT MW50

w/ MARK & LILLIAN

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1359 HYDROLAB PUMP INITIATED

200ml/min Flow Rate - CLEAR COLOR

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
2:02	7.14	11.73	4538	—
2:04	7.12	11.67	4865	45.5
2:05	7.12	11.90	4775	71.7
2:06	7.12	11.96	4665	97.5
2:07	7.12	12.10	4583	153
2:08	7.13	12.15	4504	169
2:09	7.13	12.26	4421	190
2:10	7.13	12.82	4310	195
2:11	7.14	13.85	4100	227
2:12	7.13	14.32	3990	256
2:13	7.16	14.52	3890	248
2:14	7.16	14.53	3825	246

1440 PACKING UP & HEADING BACK TO REMEDIATION BUILDING FOR DECON

1450 PACKING BLACK VEATCH SAMPLES. PREPPING TO SENT TO CRL

1402 MW-29 150ml/min Flow Rate CLEAR COLOR

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
3:57	7.76	11.03	608	3.5
3:58	7.76	10.97	607	4.1
3:59	7.76	11.58	607	2.9
4:00	7.76	11.58	607	2.1
4:01	7.75	11.96	631	4.9
4:02	7.76	12.33	631	2.0
4:03	7.76	12.66	631	1.6
4:04	7.76	12.93	631	1.6

ALS ⑥

1606 START TESTING TAKING WADS SAMPLES

1630 PACK-UP + HEAD BACK FOR DECON

1656 MW34 SETUP

1705 STARTING PUMP

200ml/min Flow RATE
CLEAR COLOR

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
5:09	7.86	11.51	398	17.8
5:10	7.71	11.33	515	18.7
5:11	7.43	11.09	662	18.5
5:12	7.31	11.01	732	20.5
5:13	7.27	10.97	767	22.3
5:14	7.25	10.97	799	21.9

17:14 START SAMPLING

17:30 PACK-UP + HEAD BACK FOR DECON

18:03 FIELD BLANKS

18:10 LEAVE SITE

Sample Results

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0700 ARRIVE ON SITE

0742 Prep FOR MW 18

0750 ARRIVE AT MW18

0756 NO PLACE TO LEAVE HYDROLAB WITH THE EXCEPTION
OF MY BELT

0801 STARTING PUMP

250ml/min Flow RATE

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
8:08	6.8	8.66	7320	55.7
8:09	6.83	9.24	432	50.6
8:10	6.79	9.75	608	30.7
8:11	6.78	10.07	702	15.5
8:12	6.78	10.76	749	9.8
8:13	6.77	10.37	778	7.3
8:14	6.76	10.40	807	6.0
8:15	6.76	10.43	831	5.1
8:16	6.75	10.47	844	4.4
8:17	6.75	10.50	870	3.5
8:18	6.76	10.50	875	3.7

0818 START SAMPLING

0831 FINISHED SAMPLING

0837 PACKUP AND HEAD BACK FOR DECON

0914 ARRIVE AT MW19

0918 STARTING PUMP

300ml/min Flow RATE

CLEAR COLOR

USED HOSE CLAMP TO REDUCE FLOW FROM 3L/min

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TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
9:27	7.44	8.80	4933	19.0
9:28	7.44	8.96	4943	17.4
9:29	7.44	9.43	4957	14.4
9:30	7.44	9.92	4951	11.7
9:31	7.44	10.28	4952	10.0
9:32	7.45	10.55	4946	9.4
9:33	7.45	10.72	4944	8.9

0933 START SAMPLING

0949 FINISH SAMPLING

0955 RETURN FOR DECON

1038 CONR FOR MW 22

1043 SETUP AT MW 22

1052 PUMP INITIATED

FLOW RATE = 125 ml/min COLOR = CLEAR

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
1058	8.08	12.46	2551	11.9
1059	8.30	11.66	2681	20.6
1100	8.38	11.41	2789	19.6
1101	8.41	11.68	2793	17.0
1102	8.43	11.90	2814	15.9
1103	8.43	12.36	2758	15.4

1103 START SAMPLING

1120 END SAMPLING

1122 PACKING UP + HEAD BACK FOR DECON

1245 LUNCH

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330 ARRIVE BACK FROM LUNCH

PICKED UP 5 BAGS OF ICE + ZIPLOCK BAGS. DOUBLE BAGGED ICE

355 ARRIVE AT MW 14

1405 START PUMP

ORANGE COLOR 125 ml/min FLOW RATE

TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
2:12	6.36	8.41	257	542
2:13	6.30	8.42	255	431
2:14	6.23	8.59	243	375
2:15	6.16	8.63	232	346
2:16	6.13	8.78	222	325
2:17	6.13	8.83	222	274
2:18	6.12	8.85	219	243
2:19	6.11	8.92	216	222
2:20	6.10	8.97	214	212
2:21	6.08	9.04	211	205
2:22	6.07	9.08	209	201

12:22 START SAMPLING SPLIT

1509 FINISH SAMPLING

1509 HEAD BACK FOR DECON

1514 PREPPING LABELS

1607 SETUP AT MW-9 WATER TEMP 14.27

1618 START PUMP

FLOW RATE = 200 ml/min COLOR = LIGHT BROWN

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TIME	pH	°C	COND	TURB
4:25	6.86	12.99	705	126
4:26	6.88	13.55	704	127
4:27	6.88	13.65	712	115
4:28	6.89	13.78	723	108
4:29	6.89	13.89	711	102

1629 START SAMPLING SPOTS

1655 FINISH SAMPLING AND HEADING BACK

1705 LEAVING SITE

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0720 Bal (BSU) arrived site trailer

TASKS: SPLIT SAMPLING (GW)

(MW JEFF TEGROTHUIS, JASON ROZGONY)

TIME	MW#	PH	CON	TEMP	TURB
1019	MW37 6.19	6.19	0.142	8.80	-
1025	MW37	6.18	0.139	10.61	-
1030	MW 6.20 37	6.20	0.139	11.69	-
1035	MW37	6.23	0.144	11.85	-
1040		6.23	0.148	11.65	-
1045		6.19	0.232	7.14	655
1050		6.20	0.247	6.33	327
1052		6.21	0.252	6.23	290
1054		6.23	0.259	6.20	200
1056		6.24	0.267	6.16	162
1058		6.26	0.272	6.14	140
1100		6.28	0.275	6.15	105
1102		6.28	0.271	6.13	105
1104	↓	6.29	0.281	6.13	102

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1105

1130 DECON EXP.

1208	MW54	6.87	0.262	9.88	305
1211	↓	6.82	0.263	10.92	295
1214	↓	6.85	0.257	12.39	285
1217	↓	6.85	0.260	13.41	279

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1220

1230 DECON EXP.

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TIME	MW#	PH	CON	TEMP	TURB
1455	MW55	7.62	0.701	9.49	53.1
1457	↓	7.61	0.769	9.61	53.2
1500	↓	7.62	0.821	9.69	53.1
1502	↓	7.62	0.835	9.83	52.9
1504	↓	7.62	0.840	10.91	52.5

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1505

1630 DECON EPP.

1704	MW08	7.34	0.162	9.95	254
1706	↓	7.43	0.162	10.36	308
1709	↓	7.53	0.161	12.14	350
1712	↓	7.58	0.162	12.40	358
1715	↓	7.60	0.163	12.79	339
1719	↓	7.61	0.161	13.86	317
1721	↓	7.62	0.161	14.22	317
1723	↓	7.62	0.162	14.37	315
1725	↓	7.63	0.163	14.42	312

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1725

1740 DECON EPP

1806 BAL LEAVE SITE

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BAL ARRIVED SITE (B&U)

WEATHER: SUNNY LOW 30'S

WIND CALM

TIME	MW#	PH	CON	TEMP	TURB	ML FLOW 2000 MIN
0820	MW13	6.84	0.403	6.40	180	
0823	↓	6.84	0.887	6.42	138	
0825	↓	6.84	0.893	6.43	116	
0827	↓	6.84	0.895	6.44	105	
0829	↓	6.83	0.893	6.44	95.8	
0831	↓	6.83	0.893	6.45	90.4	
0833	↓	6.83	0.896	6.46	90.4	

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 0833

0847 DECON EPP.

MW52

CON. X 100

0917	MW52	6.91	1.95	9.41	593
0920	↓	6.89	1.93	10.06	524
0923	↓	6.90	1.91	11.62	445
1015	↓	6.96	1.13	13.69	677
1018	↓	6.97	1.61	13.83	653
1020	↓	6.97	1.63	13.64	680

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1025

1040 DECON EPP.

JEFF & JASON from Mont. Watson
will continue to purge & sample.

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TIME	MW#	PH	X100 CON	TEMP	TURB
1118	MW53	7.77	0.485	11.52	700
1128		6.54	1.295	11.22	400
1135		6.53	1.52	11.66	208
1137		6.53	1.51	11.77	160
1139		6.53	1.50	11.84	143
1144		6.54	1.50	11.84	118
1152		6.56	1.50	11.60	56.4
1156		6.56	1.50	11.50 ⁷	55.6
1158	↓	6.56	1.51	11.78	53.4

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1200

1215 DECON EOP

WEATHER UPDATE: SUNNY HIGH 40's

WIND CALM

1330 BAL @ PLANT DLOG. PREP SAMPLE

TREES AND LABELS

1415 BAL @ MW51 LOCATION FOR

SPLIT SAMPLE

1432	MW51	7.47	0.550	11.29	510
1440		7.24	0.570	13.38	203
1448		7.21	0.573	14.02	124
1450		7.18	0.583	14.20	145
14500		6.85	0.044	14.44	50.0
1502		6.71	0.033	14.63	49.9
1507	↓	6.63	0.034	14.88	45.7

> SPLIT SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1510

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TIME	MW	PH	DECON X100 CON	TEMP	TURB
1540	JEFF TATION				
1604	MW30	7.86	0.206	11.85	20.0
1608		7.81	0.206	12.49	14.0
1610		7.82	0.202	12.56	13.33
1612	↓	7.82	0.201	12.40	13.34

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1615

1640 DECON EOP

1700 START PUMP

1704	MW33	7.80	0.283	10.34	135.0
1708		6.65	0.375	10.70	153
1711		6.60	0.398	11.42	115
1715		6.57	0.408	11.73	85.64
1718		6.56	0.409	11.85	78.31
1721		6.56	0.470	11.93	65.3
1724		6.55	0.478	11.96	62.3
1726	↓	6.55	0.482	11.98	60.7

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1730

1800 DECON EOP

1825 BAL LEAVE SITE TO
WAREHOUSE TO PICK UP MORE
SAMPLE BOTTLES.

1934 BAL @ WAREHOUSE.

1948 LEAVE WAREHOUSE

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BAL (B&U) ARRIVED SITE

WEATHER: SUNNY, WIND CALM HIGH 40'S

TIME	MW#	PH	X100 CON	TEMP	TURB
0758	MW10C	6.88	1.74	10.04	902
0810		6.91	1.84	11.04	807
0814		6.91	1.84	11.42	718
0816		6.91	1.85	11.41	696
0818		6.92	1.85	11.15	623
0826		6.92	1.83	11.07	400
0830		6.92	1.83	11.12	344
0833		6.92	1.80	11.15	322
0835		6.92	1.81	11.19	321
0837		6.92	1.78	11.23	306

SPLIT SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 0840

WATER CLEAR

0845 JEFF & JASON (MW) DECON EQP.

0900 BAL @ prepare labels & tag for MW10C.

0940 CREW @ LANDFILL @ MW4

WILL COLLECT SPLIT.

1006 MW42 7.76 0.155 14.43 850

1020 470

1024 7.42 0.312 14.77 465

1030 7.29 0.334 14.75 552

1034 7.41 0.427 15.16 38

1036 7.42 0.432 14.83 31.2

1038 7.45 0.432 14.74 31.9

SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1040 - 146

3/27/96

1105

BAL @ TRAILER PREP LABELS AND TAGS.

JEFF & JASON DECON EQP.

1140

CREW @ MW45 LOCATION

SPLIT SAMPLE WILL BE COLLECTED.

TIME

WELL#	PH	X100 CON	TEMP	TURB
MW45 6.48	6.48	0.832	10.61	63.6
MW45 6.67	6.67	0.838	10.61	58.1
MW45 6.54	6.54	0.843	12.88	66.4

1200

WELL WENT DRY,

1210

START SAMPLING

1220

AFTER COLLECTING VOAS,

CYANIDE AND HALF OF THE

METALS WELL WENT DRY

AGAIN. WILL BREAK FOR

LUNCH AND COMEBACK TO

FINISH SAMPLING.

1322

BACK @ MW45 LOCATION

1332

MW45 SAMPLE COMPLETED.

1345

WILL DECON EQP.

1420

CREW @ MW35

1430

CANNOT SAMPLE WELL (MW35)

CASING VENT OR PLUG.

1433

MOVE TO MW45 LOCATION.

450

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	WELL#	PH	X100 CON	TEMP	TURB
TIME	1448	6.53	0.369	7.33	61.6
1445		6.53			
1500		6.53	0.360	7.41	41.8
1502		6.53	0.362	7.41	51.3
1504		6.53	0.376	7.43	50.7
1506		6.53	0.375	7.35	44.6
1508	↓	6.52	0.374	7.31	43.0
1510	SAMPLE COLLECTED				42.1
1520	JEFF & JASON DECON EDP.				
1540	BAL PREP SAMPLE TAGS & LABELS.				
1600	STILL WORKING ON TAGS & LABELS				
1630	BAL MOVE TO 14W 6				
	MW 6 WILL NOT BE SAMPLE TODAY				
1645	CREW @ MW 49				
1658	MW 49	6.83	0.141	6.74	14.7
1700		6.57	0.160	6.83	85.0
1702		6.47	0.165	6.82	44.0
1705		6.43	0.205	6.71	29.5
1707		6.43	0.211	6.69	27.5
1709	↓	6.44	0.217	6.67	26.6
	SAMPLE COLLECTED @ 1710				
1730	PREP SAMPLES				
1800	PREP SAMPLES				
1826	LEAVE SITE TO WAREHOUSE				

160

3-25-97 Robert in Lang

0700 Arrived onsite cloudy, rainy 45°F

0700-1000 Bal, Steve, Astok and I
got sampling material prepared
in the groundwater treatment bldg.

1005 Arrived at MW-21

1007 9.01 ft BTOC water level

1029 Bryan purging at approx 200 ml/min

	Temp	pH	T	Cond
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1030	37.3	10.3	10.5	1002
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1032	40.8	11.04	10.5	1084
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1035	40.9	11.05	10.9	941
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1037	38.6	11.04	11.2	921
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1056 Done sampling at MW 21

1100 Arrived at MW-16 The well is
literally surrounded by 1-2 ft of
standing water

	Water Depth	2.48	ft BTOC
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	Temp	pH	T	Cond
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1223	450	8.49	5.9	450
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1225	237	8.28	5.9	570
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1227	106	7.43	6.0	1069
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1229	46	7.05	6.1	1071
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1231	41.2	6.84	6.3	1070
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1233	44	6.75	6.4	1070
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1235	40.1	6.71	6.5	1070
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1300 Broke for lunch
 1400 Returned from lunch
 1540 Arrived at MW-24 Water
 level is at 11.0 ft BTOC

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
1545	8.8	6.5	252	1132
1548	8.7	6.77	253	1135
1550	9.4	6.94	279	1134
1552	10.9	6.96	266	1139
1554	11.7	6.98	256	1145
1555	12.1	7.00	249	1146

1615 Completed sampling MW24
 1635 Arrived back at the groundwater
 treatment building

1656 Arrived at MW39 Water
 level is at 4.13 ft BTOC

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
1713	7.0	6.66	580	1316
1715	7.9	6.79	315	1368
1717	8.2	6.79	257	1367
1719	8.5	6.79	219	1370
1721	8.6	6.79	198	1371
1723	8.6	6.80	213	1369

1750 Collected MW39 sample
 1805 Left site

March 26 1997 Robert Tait

0700 Arrived on site Sunny 45°F
 0755 Arrived at MW23 Water
 level is at 8.76 ft BTOC

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
0813	8.8	7.01	692	784
0815	9.8	7.06	620	785
0817	11.2	7.06	497	793
0819	11.7	7.07	452	798
0821	12.0	7.07	430	800
0823	12.2	7.07	412	801
0828	The pump/hose fell down some increasing the turbid			
	12.3	7.04	414	816

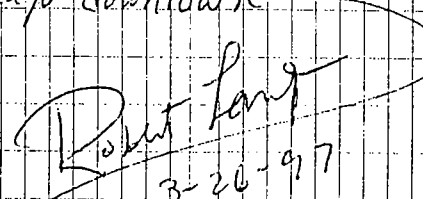
0900 Completed sampling MW23
 * I split sampled MW23 *

0950 Arrived at MW38
 1004 6.3 6.74 off scale 211
 water is orange brown
 1006 6.8 6.64 " 211

They cleared the line by accelerating
 the flow rate then lowered the
 flow rate back down

1008	7.0	6.50		219
1010	6.7	6.46	665	226
1011	6.4	6.43	331	228

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
1013	7.1	6.42	229	280
1015	7.4	6.40	180	235
1017	7.7	6.40	119	239
1019	7.7	6.40	119	241
1021	7.8	6.41	111	244
1045	Completed sampling at MW 38			
1115	Arrived at MW40			
1130	They are having difficulty starting the generator. They just got it started.			
1131	5.7	6.80	476	143
1133	6.0	6.0	335	144
1135	6	6.7	280	141
1137	6.83	6.8	238	143
1139	7.6	6.50	196	143
1141	8.1	6.48	175	144
1143	7.9	6.48	155	143
1145	7.8	6.46	135	142
1147	8.1	6.47	122	144
1149	8.4	6.47	112	144
1215	Completed sampling at MW40			
	* I split sampled this well *			
1230	Went to lunch			
1300	Back from lunch			
1330	Tagged the MW 23 and MW40 samples			
1400	Arrived at MW41			

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
1403	6.5	7.00	119	302
1405	7.1	6.97	114	296
1407	7.6	6.95	190	295
1409	8.5	6.92	260	294
1411	9.1	6.91	234	297
1413	9.0	6.91	207	303
1425	Completed sampling			MW41
1450	Arrived at			MW42
1504	8.3	6.84	652	1000
1506	8.7	6.89	710	1008
1508	9.4	6.82	763	1012
1510	9.4	6.86	782	1012
1530	Completed sampling			MW42
*	I split sampled this well *			
1545	Returned to the trailer			
	groundwater treatment building. Dipped			
	off my sample. Fixed up the 4 samples			
	collected thus far and left			
	for the USEPA ERL laboratory in			
	Chicago downtown			
				
	3-26-97			

3-27-97 Robert Long

0700 Arrived onsite sunny 50°

0850 Arrived at M15 Griffith
landfill well.

0905 Jeff is repairing the Grundfos
pump. A wire lead for the
pump was severed.

0920 They switched out pumps with
the Iowa boys.

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
0926	10.9	6.63	4.7	2153

0928	10.5	6.62	27	2217
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0930	11.2	6.62	23.6	2240
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0932	11.7	6.62	21.9	2280
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0934	11.9	6.62	25.1	2305
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0936	12.2	6.63	24.5	2323
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0938	12.2	6.63	26.3	2330
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0940 Began sampling M15

1005 Completed sampling M15

* I split sampled this well *

1030 Jeff measured the water level between
M35 and the standing water difference ~0.5 ft

1140 Back at M35 we are preparing
to sample. Sheri Branchin just
arrived to observe the sampling

	T	pH	Turb	Cond
1143	8.7	6.86	127	988
1145	10.3	6.83	101	977
1147	12.2	6.74	85	979
1149	11.4	6.74	72	1014
1151	12.9	6.73	69	997
1153	11.9	6.73	69	1021
1155	10.1	6.71	74	1036

1230 Completed sampling M35

* I split sampled this well *

1250 Break for lunch

1330 Back from lunch

1415 Arrived at MW47

1427 Began pumping

1429	8.4	7.19	65.0	24.1
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1431	8.8	7.32	64.8	22.4
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1433	9.0	7.33	65.1	21.9
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	T	pH	Cond	Turb
1435	9.2	7.15	66.7	23.1

1445 Completed sampling MW47

1522 Arrived at MW45

1543	6.9	6.82	330	1234
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1545	6.8	6.86	76	1274
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1547	7.5	6.83	49	1274
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1549	8.0	6.84	42	1276
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1551	8.3	6.85	38	1289
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1553	8.4	6.86	37	1271
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1615 Completed sampling MW45
They collected a dup at this location
1630-1900 Packaged samples
1900 Left for Fed Ex

Robert Land
3-27-97

Letter of Transmittal

BLACK & VEATCH Special Projects Corp.

101 North Wacker Drive, Suite 1100, Chicago, Illinois, 60606, Phone (312) 346-3775, Fax (312) 346-4781

To: Ms. Sheri Bianchin
United States Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard (SRW-6J)
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Date: May 27, 1997
From: Steve Mrkvicka
Project: American Chemical Services
Project No.: 71670
File: C.3

We are sending you: ☒ Attached ☐ Under separate cover via _____

☐ Preliminary Report

☐ Specifications

☐ Final Report

☐ Change Order

☒ Other: Slides of the Barrier Wall Extraction
System construction work

☐ Addendum

These items are transmitted:

☒ As requested

☐ For your information

☐ For your approval

☐ For review and comment

Remarks: Enclosed are the slides of the Barrier Wall Extraction System construction work that is undergoing at the American Chemical Services site.

If you have any questions, please call me at 312/683-7849.

American Chemical Services
Work Assignment 80-5P17

Copy To: P. Hendrixson, USEPA (w/o enclosures); A. Rupani, BVSPC (w/enclosures)
E. Howard, USEPA (w/o enclosures)

Signed: 

May 27, 1997



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SPECIAL PROJECTS CORP.

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USEPA Region 5
American Chemical Services 80-5PJ7

BVSPC Project 71670
BVSPC File C.3
February 26, 1997

Ms. Sheri Bianchin
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard (HSR-6J)
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Subject: Results of December 1996 Outfall
Surface Water Sample

Dear Ms. Bianchin:

Enclosed is a table that shows the results of the outfall surface water sample that was collected by Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp. at the American Chemical Services, Inc., site on December 27, 1996. We collected the sample, which was not split with Montgomery Watson, at your request. We have not enclosed the laboratory analytical data packages with this transmittal; however, I can send the data packages if you want them.

The results indicated the presence of three organic compounds, including chloroethane (2 ug/L), 2-butanone (0.7 J ug/L), and bis(2-chloroethyl)ether (5 ug/L). Chloroethane and bis(2-chloroethyl)ether are contaminants of concern identified in the Record of Decision for remediation; 2-butanone is a common laboratory contaminant. No volatile organic Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs) were identified; however, two semivolatile organic TICs were identified. The inorganic results do not indicate the presence of significant levels of inorganic analytes.

Please contact me at 312/346-3775 if you have any questions or desire additional information.

Sincerely,

BLACK & VEATCH SPECIAL PROJECTS CORP.

Steve Mrkvicka
Site Manager

Enclosure

cc: P. Hendrixson, USEPA w/o enclosure
E. Howard, USEPA w/o enclosure
A. Rupani, BVSPC w/enclosure

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<p style="text-align: center;">Table 1</p> <p style="text-align: center;">December 1996 Outfall Surface Water Sample</p> <p style="text-align: center;">American Chemical Services, Inc.</p>	
Compound/Analyte	<p style="text-align: center;">97ZB02S05</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sample Location/Concentration (µg/l)</p>
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropene	1 U
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	1 U
VOA TICs	0
Semivolatile Organic Compounds	
Phenol	5 U
bis(2-Chloroethyl)ether	5
2-Chlorophenol	5 U
2-Methylphenol	5 U
2,2'-oxybis(1-Chloropropane)	5 U
4-Methylphenol	5 U
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine	5 U
Hexachloroethane	5 U
Nitrobenzene	5 U
Isophorone	5 U
2-Nitrophenol	5 U
2,4-Dimethylphenol	5 U
bis(2-Chloroethoxy)methane	5 U
2,4-Dichlorophenol	5 U
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	5 U
Naphthalene	5 U
4-Chloroaniline	5 U
Hexachlorobutadiene	5 U
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol	5 U
2-Methylnaphthalene	5 U
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	5 U
2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	5 U
2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	20 U
2-Chloronaphthalene	5 U
2-Nitroaniline	20 U
Dimethylphthalate	5 U
Acenaphthylene	5 U
2,6-Dinitrotoluene	5 U
3-Nitroaniline	20 U
Acenaphthene	5 U
2,4-Dinitrophenol	20 U
4-Nitrophenol	20 U
Dibenzofuran	5 U
2,4-Dinitrotoluene	5 U
Diethylphthalate	5 U
4-Chlorophenyl-phenylether	5 U

Table 1-2

Table 1 December 1996 Outfall Surface Water Sample American Chemical Services, Inc.	
Compound/Analyte	97ZB02S05 Sample Location/Concentration (µg/l)
p,p'-DDT	0.020 U
Methoxychlor	0.10 U
Endrin Ketone	0.020 U
Endrin Aldehyde	0.020 U
Alpha-chlordane	0.010 U
Gamma-chlordane	0.010 U
Toxaphene	1.0 U
PCBs	
Aroclor 1016	0.20 U
Aroclor 1221	0.40 U
Aroclor 1232	0.20 U
Aroclor 1242	0.20 U
Aroclor 1248	0.20 U
Aroclor 1254	0.20 U
Aroclor 1260	0.20 U
Inorganic Analytes	
Aluminum	320
Antimony	1 U
Arsenic	4 U
Barium	118
Beryllium	1 U
Cadmium	0.2 U
Calcium	127,000
Chromium	10 U
Cobalt	6 U
Copper	6 U
Iron	1,060
Lead	2 U
Magnesium	35,500
Manganese	429
Mercury	0.1 U
Nickel	20 U
Potassium	21,100
Selenium	4 U
Silver	6 U
Sodium	36,000
Thallium	2 U
Vanadium	5 U
Zinc	40 U
Cyanide	8 U

Table 1-4

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We are sending you: ☒ Attached ☐ Under separate cover via _____

☐ Preliminary Report

☐ Specifications

☐ Final Report

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☒ Other: Field oversight summary report
September 23 through October 2, 1997

☐ Addendum

These items are transmitted:

☐ As requested

☒ For your information

☐ For your approval

☐ For review and comment

Remarks: Enclosed is the field oversight summary report for the field activities that BVSPC provided oversight on behalf of the USEPA at the American Chemical Services NPL site, Griffith, Indiana. Activities occurred during the period from September 23, 1997, through October 2, 1997.

Please call me at 312/683-7849 if you have any questions.

American Chemical Services
Work Assignment 80-5PJ7

Copy To: P. Hendrixson, USEPA (w/o enclosure); E. Howard, USEPA (w/o enclosure)

Signed:



15-Oct-97

USEPA/ARCS V BVSPC Oversight Summary

Reporting Period: September 23 to October 2, 1997 Hours Worked: 208
Site Name/Location: ACS/Griffith, IN BVSPC Project No.: 71670.600
USEPA Work Assignment Manager: Sheri Bianchin, RPM
Site Manager: Steve Mrkvicka

Personnel Summary Affiliation	No. of Personnel	Responsibility
Ben McGeachy, Lee Orsorz, Tom Blair, Montgomery Watson, Addison, IL	3	Respondent's General Contractor
Jeff Ramsby and Mark Pauli, Montgomery-Watson, Madison, WI	2	Field Sampling Crew (for quarterly groundwater sampling)
Carter Helm, Steve Mrkvicka, BVSPC	2	USEPA Oversight Contractor

Summary of field activities:

During the weeks of September 23 and September 30, 1997, Montgomery Watson conducted quarterly groundwater sampling. During this reporting period, Montgomery Watson also completed the installation of piezometers along the Barrier Wall Extraction System (BWES). The remaining pairs were installed after the BWES site restoration activities were completed.

Quarterly Groundwater Sampling

One Montgomery Watson field sampling crew sampled 47 residential and monitoring wells within the ACS site boundaries, the wetland area, the City of Griffith Landfill, and the areas that lie north, south, and east of the ACS facility. BVSPC's two-man crew oversaw the field activities and collected split samples from 18 of the wells. One BVSPC representative accompanied the sampling team to ensure that proper sampling techniques were conducted and the SOP for low flow groundwater sampling was followed by the sampling team. The BVSPC representative also collected the appropriate EPA split sample. Another BVSPC representative maintained custody of previously collected samples, which were stored and packaged at the Perimeter

Groundwater Containment System treatment building. This BVSPC employee also did sample paperwork such as the chain of custody forms, custody seals, and sample tagging, in addition to the overview of Montgomery Watson sample paperwork procedures and their decontamination set-up and routine.

Montgomery Watson collected 47 groundwater samples, 5 duplicate samples, 3 matrix spike/matrix spike duplicate (MS/MSD) samples, and 5 field equipment rinsate blanks. Samples were collected from 42 monitoring wells, including four Town of Griffith Landfill monitoring wells (M-1S, M-3S, M-4S, and M-4D), and six residential wells, including 1002 Reder Road, 1014 South Arbogast, 1130 Reder Road (Augsten home), 1033 Reder Road, 430 East Avenue H, and 1130 Reder Road (Maze home). The monitoring wells sampled by Montgomery Watson are listed in the field logbook notes, which are attached to this report.

BVSPC, on behalf of EPA, collected four Upper Aquifer split samples (MW-15, MW-12, MW-38, and MW-29) and four Lower Aquifer split samples (MW-8, MW-23, MW-51, and MW-10C). BVSPC collected split samples from the four Town of Griffith Landfill monitoring wells (M-1S, M-3S, M-4S, and M-4D) and the six residential wells, including 1002 Reder Road, 1014 South Arbogast, 1130 Reder Road (Augsten home), 1033 Reder Road, 430 East Avenue H, and 1130 Reder Road (Maze home). Two equipment rinsate blanks collected by Montgomery Watson were also split by BVSPC to ensure that proper decontamination procedures produced clean sampling equipment. As required by the EPA-approved Quality Assurance Project Plan, BVSPC collected two duplicate samples and one MS/MSD sample. Trip blanks accompanied each sample shipment containing samples for volatile organic analysis. Seven trip blanks were shipped. The samples for the organic analyses were shipped to Rollins Environmental Inc., Ann Arbor, Michigan, which was a Contract Laboratory Program lab assigned by EPA Sample Management Office. The samples for inorganic analyses were shipped to EPA Region V Central Regional Laboratory. All samples were designated for low concentration drinking water analyses.

Signature: 

Date: October 15, 1997

⑤ C. Helm 9-23-97

0715 Report Hotel

0750 Arrive at ACS site

Sam McQuinn organizing
sample containers &
paperwork

0900 Attempt to reach Sheri
Branchin to determine
which wells BV/EPA should
split. BV assumes all
landfill wells that are
sampled will be split - by
past experience

0915 Mobilize at M-45 (landfill well)
Jeff Ramsby & Mark Pauli
is the Montgomery - Watson
team. Jeff sets up hydro lab.
This is our MS/MS-P sample.

Low-flow purge & sample
techniques used.

time	pH	cond	turbid	temp
927	6.26	202	108	18.3
929	6.25	2120	97	18.7
931	6.26	2150	99.1	19.2

0930 Collect sample MW-45

C. Helm

9-23-97

⑤3

Jeff sets up at MW-4D
(in same well cluster)

Note: MW-4D will be our duplicate
MW-4D

time	temp	pH	cond	turbidity
1003	13.8	7.01	737	112
1005	13.4	7.19	779	147
1007	13.7	7.24	813	147
1009	14.1	7.26	847	133

1010 Collect MW-4D

1100 Get Sheri's voice mail on
split samples - she wants
us to reserve space to split

Some residential wells

We plan to sample

Lower Aquif	Upper Aquif	Landfill
MW-8	MW-15	m-15
MW-23	MW-12	m-35
MW-51	MW-38	m-45
MW-10C	MW-29	m-4D

11:15 Mobilize to m-35, which Sheri
goes to store for bags, ice, vernier
drapping tape - plus other supplies

11:20 Jeff sets up the
Hydro lab + Ground for at 35

(54)

C. Helmer

9-23-97

11:25 Begin low-flow purge of
m-35

time	pH	temp	cond	turbid
1127	6.84	15.4	1142	36
1129	6.82	15.6	1148	24
1131	6.80	16.4	1153	15.2
1133	6.78	17.5	1153	13.4
1135	6.78	17.6	1154	13.0

1140 Collect split sample m-35

1145 Clean-up

12:00 Set up at m-15 sample

12:10 Start low-flow purge at 15

time	pH	temp	cond.	turbidity
1212	6.60	13.2	2740	59
1214	6.58	13.7	2740	55
1216	6.56	14.0	2730	52

1225 Collect m-35 split sample

14:00 mobilize to mw-06

located within City of Griffith

landfill fenced area near

Califana Road & Roca Rd

9-23-97

C. Helmer

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1440 Purge starts at mw-6

1450 Montgomery-Watson collects
mw-6 - Not in ops split.1500-1530 Montgomery-Watson
collected water level
data that could not
be done yesterday.1535 mobilize to mw-15 near
999 pipeline access road
south of landfill area

time	pH	temp	cond.	turbidity
1541	7.05	14.4	4350	51
1543	7.02	14.1	4380	27.7
1545	7.02	14.37	4400	23.0
1547	7.01	14.95	4390	18.8
1549	7.01	15.21	4390	15.9
1551	7.01	15.3	4350	15.4

1555 Collect mw-15

1610 Back at Treatment Bldg.

1620 Collect Trip Blank TB-01

1650 Collect Mig Blank TB-02

1700 Jeff Mark Collect mw-28

1745 C. Helmer splits E.B.-alg, equipment
blanks from pump.

(56)

9-24-97

C. Holm

0715 Report Hotel for site
 0745 Arrive at Acs site
 0800 Montgomery-Watson collect
 Upper aquifer mw-54
 (They had started ~ 7:15)
 0820 m-w collect mw-55
 the lower aquifer well
 This 3-well cluster is
 Not an epa split location
 0905 Mobilize to mw-30, 31, 08
 cluster near north RR-trail station
 0945 Parameters stable, mw-32 collected
 1005 m-w collects mw-31
 1040 Mobilize to mw-8, an epa split.
 time temp pH cond turbidity
 1059 11.6 7.79 469 21
 1101 11.7 7.81 469 28
 1103 11.7 7.81 469 26
 1105 12.7 7.81 464 45
 1107 13.3 7.81 464 47.2
 1109 13.7 7.80 460 45.2
 1110 Sample mw-8,
 an EPA split

C. Holm

9-24-97

(57)

m-w mobilize to
 mw-49, Not an epa split
 C. Holm delivers EPA letters
 & well data to the following
 residents 430 E Ave H - Rybacki ✓
 2:00 No 2-4th → 938 Arbogast - Farran ✓
 K Thur 12:00 614 S Arbogast - Bickett ✓
 P mss 1033 Reder - Floyd ✓
 RC Thur before 1130 Reder - Augstein ✓
 RE Thur afternoon 1130 Reder - Wraze ✓
 per EPA instructions
 from Sheri Bianchini (who
 dropped three envelopes off
 this morning)
 1340 S. Mckenzie samples residential
 surface soil for organic
 analysis at 1002 Reder Rd.
 Fed Ex could not deliver
 last week's organic samples
 requiring re-sampling today
 1500 Mobilize to mw-10C, an epa
 split sample.
 Location is north of
 Treatment building but
 South of railroad tracks

(58)

C. Nelson

9-24-97

time	temp	pH	cond	turbidity
306	13.2	7.11	1640	250
308	13.5	7.13	1630	253
310	13.7	7.14	1620	251

Parameters stable ...

1520 Collect at mw-10C, an epi split sample.
Notice an odor + sheen.1550 Collect TB-03 for
organics shipment today1600 Help Steve work. pull
samples, do paperwork, etc.1700 Help Jeff Rubinsky
get van unstuck
(in mud at mw-17,36)

1825 Depart site

~~Copy of~~

9-25-97

C. Nelson

(59)

0715 Depart Hotel

0745 Arrive at ACS site

0800 Jeff & Mark prepare
to sample mw-38 and
mw-39. Located north of site.0830 Underfoot Re-entering on site to install
Piczometers (replace) that was destroyed.0920 Montgomery, Watson collects
mw-390935 Mobilize to mw-38, an
epi split sample.

0953 Low-flow purge starts

time	temp	pH	cond	temp
0954	14.7	6.65	455	30.2
0956	14.8	6.59	459	19.4
0958	15.4	6.58	459	18.1
1000	15.9	6.57	459	17.0

1005 Collect mw-38 epi split

1015 Remob, clean up

1100 Prepare to mobilize to
wetlands for epi split
mw-23. Montgomery
Watson will also
collect mw-46.

(60)

9-25-97 C. Helmer

time	temp	pH	Conductivity	hardness
1127	11.6	7.14	785	219
1129	11.5	7.10	795	182
1131	11.8	7.06	807	159
1133	12.7	7.04	827	152
1135	13.3	7.04	829	150

1135 Collect mu-23, EPA split

1330 Help Steve Mervick
pack samples & paperwork.1535 Help M-Untzmann mobilize
to mu-53.1555 Collect mu-53 (Not split)
Clean up, demol. to
the mu-52 location1625 Collect mu-52 sample
(Not an EPA split).

1645 Mobilize to mu-24

North of site, S. of Railroad Tracks

1730 mu-24 collected - Not an EPA
sample.

1820 Report Site per Wold

1850 Arrive at hotel

C. Helmer

9-26-97 (61)

0700 Report Hotel for site

0740 Arrive at HCS, prepare
for today's samples.925 Collect mu-42, not an EPA
split sample -S. Mervick and C. Helmer
help Montgomery Winters
Get equipment into cornfield.1015 Collect mu-43, Not an EPA
split sample - also located
in corn field, SE of site.1300 Get report - a - mu
washed - very dirty with
site - related dust, mud1400 Finish for today - Corn
will re-mobilize on Monday.~~152~~~~C/H~~

Helmer

(62)

9-29-97 Cat Hcl

- 0900 Report Hotel for AES site
 0940 Arrive at site, prepare sample containers for today's samples.
 Montgomery-Watson crew was just arrived.
 First sample to be collected will be mw-11, mw-40
 0945 Go to store for this week's supplies
 1030 m. belongs to mw-40 east of site, deep in woods
 1110 collect mw-40 - Not an epa split sample but a duplicate for mont.-wat.
 1135 Ramrod from mw-40
 1140 Set up on mw-11, not an epa split
 1205 Mont-Watson collects mw-11 located northeast of site but south of railroad tracks.
 1430 S. M. Kucken delivers CRL lab samples (Inorganics) to Chicago.

9-29-97 Cat Hcl (63)

- 1525 Sample mw-14 } Not
 1550 Sample mw-34 } epa splits
 1610 Break to warehouse (Treat-ment Building) to decom pumps & hose - set ball
 1615 m. belongs to mw-29, mw-4

Time	Temp	pH	Cond	Specific Gravity
1657	12.6	7.19	1025	18
1657	12.5	7.15	1049	20
1701	12.6	7.13	1060	19

Parameters still better.
 1710 collect mw-29, an epa split. This will be EPA duplicate sample.
 1720 Help mont.-watson set up on mw-2, (pink see 2 dye)
 1730 collect mw-07 - Not a split
 1800 Visit area residents to schedule the private well sampling on Thur afternoon. Four out of six have appointments for Thur. One has connected to City water - Farnsworth 438 Arborescent Road to sample another one.
 1900 Report Griffiths for Hotel.

(54)

9-30-97 C. Nelson

0730 Depart Hotel

0800 Arrive at ACS site.

Prepare to sample in
Farmers Fields

0815 Mobilize to mw-41

Not an EPA split sample

0830 Call Shari Blanchard, EPA,

to inform her of progress

& that one scheduled
private well has "hooked up"to City water and no
longer has the pump
in her private well.

Resident of concern

is Mrs. Farrow, 938 Arbogast

I asked Shari to pick another
private well to sample.

9:00 Collect mw-41 (mont. - intsam).

0950 Shari calls back - try to get over

pumpin at 938 Arbogast, otherwise,

Try Nicole Troll next up as

alternate Roder & Gelfox, 1002 Roder.

1000 Collect mw-45, Not

an EPA split sample

in Farmers fields

9-30-97

C. Nelson (55)

1115 Mobilize to mw-19

1140 Start purge at mw-19

After parameter stabilization,

1220 Collect mw-19, Not an EPA split
Behind 938 Arbogast Street.

1145 Collect mw-22, Time differs

from purge time due to

pump difficulties

and pre-installed

bottles.

Correct sample time

used on all Montgomery

Watson paperwork, tags,

chain of custody, etc.

1515 Collect mw-48 - Not an EPA split s

North of Paulson's Trucks

1610 Confirm 12:30 Thursday

appointment at 1002 Roder

for Private Well Sample.

1630 Collect mw-18, Not an EPA

split sample. Located

off Roder Road.

1730 mw-44 collected from Farrow's

field, southeast of ACS site.

(66)

10-1-97 Cont. MWR

0700 Depart Hotel for site
 0745 Arrive at ACS
 0805 Join Mont-Watson at MW-21
 840 MW-21 sampled
 900 Mobilize to MW-12, an
 epa split sample
 east of the ACS
 Facility, North of ACS
 Railroad spur

time	temp	pH	conduct	turbidity
901	13.3	7.68	394	126
903	13.5	7.39	396	152
905	13.4	7.01	402	143
907	13.4	6.91	410	155

Parameters are stable

915 Sample MW-12

10:02 Mobilize to MW-13

Arrived north of

Treatment building.

1045 Collect MW-13, took
an epa split sample.We also set up
at nearby monitoring
well MW-57

10-1-97

C. J. Miller (57)

11:15 Collect MW-51

Clean-up area,
go to treatment building
to do paperwork.1200 Collect EB-02, Rinco
Blank from decommed
equipment - pump, tubing,
etc.1415 Collect TB-04, TB-05
for today's shipment to the
organic lab. Some preps
samples1415 MW-33, is collected
not an epa split.1450 MW-30, plus Mont-Watson's
MS/MSD sample
is sampled after

parameters are stable.

1550 With decommed equipment,
mobilize to MW-47 & MW-50

1610 Sample MW-47

1650 Sample MW-50

These are not epa split
samples.

1800 Depart site

C. J. Miller

(68)

10-2-97 C. J. Helms

- 0800 Report hotel for site
 0900 Arrive at site after
 stopping to view flush mount
 installation - along Colfax East
 11:00 Mobilize to Nicole
 Little's Home
 11:15 Pump at 5-10 g.p.w. for
 15 minutes
 11:35 Sample RW-05
 1002 Reden Rd
 Front spigot - No water softer.
 11:52 Leave Reden Road.
 1200 mobilize to RW-01
 Babbitt Residence
 1014 S Arkwright
 10-15 minutes of pump
 then
 1220 Collect RW-01.
 Go back to Grandwater
 Treatment building to
 process samples
 1300 Mobilize to Augustan Home
 1330 Collect RW-04 at 1130 Reden.
 He needs an additional
 copy of last April's results.

10-2-97 C. J. Helms

(69)

- 1330 Mobilize to 1033 Reden.
 1355 Collect RW-03, Floyd
 Residence - before
 softener - Collected over
 Piping - Possible Pb hits case
 1415 Collect RW-06
 Ryback, 430 E. Ave 17
 from front - of house
 spigot. (Same side of house)
 We own home, but
 permission was granted
 2 days ago.
 1515 Collect RW-02
 Maze House, 1130 Reden
 from Back of House (same
 side)
 spigot.
 1600-1800 Prepare samples
 for shipment.
 Store BV/EPA equipment
 on 2nd level of Treatment
 building.
 Clean-up, wait for
 Red Ex.

Letter of Transmittal

BLACK & VEATCH Special Projects Corp.

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To: Ms. Sheri Bianchin
United States Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard (SRW-6J)
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Date: October 22, 1996
From: Steve Mrkvicka
Project: American Chemical Services
Project No.: 71670
File: C.3

We are sending you: ☒ Attached ☐ Under separate cover via _____

☐ Preliminary Report

☐ Specifications

☐ Final Report

☐ Change Order

☒ Other: Drilling oversight summary report

☐ Addendum

These items are transmitted:

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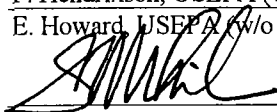
Remarks: Enclosed is the drilling oversight summary report for the field activities at the ACS site that occurred October 16 through 19, 1996.

If you have any questions, please call me at 312/683-7849.

American Chemical Services
Work Assignment 80-5PJ7

Copy To: P. Hendrixson, USEPA (w/o enclosures); A. Rupani, BVSPC (w/enclosures)
E. Howard, USEPA (w/o enclosures); D. Gountanis, USEPA (w/o enclosures)

Signed:



October 22, 1996

**USEPA/ARCS V
BVSPC Weekly Oversight Summary**

Reporting Period: October 16 to 19, 1996 Hours Worked: 37
Site Name/Location: ACS, Griffith, IN BVSPC Project No.: 71670
USEPA Work Assignment Manager: Sheri Bianchin
Project Coordinator: Steve Mrkvicka

Personnel Summary Affiliation	No. of Personnel	Responsibility
Cliff Yantz Montgomery Watson Novi, Michigan	1	Field geologist
John and Rich Stearns Drilling Co. Dutton, Michigan	2	Drilling contractor
Steve Mrkvicka Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp. Chicago, Illinois	1	USEPA oversight contractor

Summary of field activities: The purpose for the field activities was to drill and install two Lower Aquifer monitoring wells (MW-37 and MW-38) and one Upper Aquifer piezometer (P-57) at the American Chemical Services, Inc., site. The drilling activities were to follow the USEPA-approved October 15, 1996, revised Lower Aquifer Specific Operating Procedures. MW-37 was to be located among the monitoring well cluster located at MW-10. The MW-37 well screen was to be installed at the top 10 feet of the Lower Aquifer. MW-38 was to be installed downgradient of the private well located at 938 Arbogast, where contaminants had been detected in a groundwater sample. P-57 was to be installed near the entrance to the Lake County Oak Hills Prairie Park.

The drilling crew and field geologist mobilized to the site on Wednesday, October 16, 1996. Following a health and safety briefing, the crew began work at MW-37. Split spoon samples were collected every 2.5 feet from ground surface to the top of the clay layer. The 10-inch diameter steel casing was placed and grouted into the ground. The crew moved to P-57 and installed the piezometer to a depth of 12 feet below land surface into the Upper Aquifer by the end of the day.

On Thursday, October 17, 1996, the crew moved the rig to MW-38 and began split spoon sampling. The confining clay layer was encountered at 30 feet below land surface; however, the crew could not set the casing because they had only brought 20 feet of casing and 12-inch diameter hollow stem augers. The crew called their shop for more supplies and waited until the equipment arrived. The additional equipment arrived, but the weather turned poor with flashes of lightening and rain. The casing was set by the end of the day.

On Friday, October 18, 1996, the crew moved back to MW-37 to drill through the clay layer and set the monitoring well. Some sand heave occurred, but the crew used a sand bailer to remove the blow-in. The well was set to a depth of 30 feet. Type 304 stainless steel well materials were used. A No. 7 Global Materials sand pack was used to 2 feet above the top of the screen. Hole Plug (bentonite chips) were poured to the land surface. A steel locking protective cover was installed at the top of the well. The well was surged and developed by pumping approximately 120 gallons of water from the well. The crew moved to MW-38 and began split spoon sampling through the clay layer. The crew stopped for the day at about 50 feet below land surface, where sand was encountered.

On Saturday, October 19, 1996, the crew continued soil sampling. The Lower Aquifer sand was encountered, and the well was installed to a depth of 61 feet below land surface. The well was installed by the same method used at MW-37. Approximately 150 gallons of water was removed from the well during development.

Problems Encountered/Corrective Actions: No problems were encountered.

Future Work Schedule: The BWES and PGCS construction work will likely not begin until the week of October 28, 1996, due to access to the Kapica-Pazmey building along the southern site boundary. First round of quarterly sampling will begin the first week of November 1996.

Comments: None.

Signature:  Date: 10/22/96

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SMH-L

10/16/96

0715 Arrive onsite. Meet Ben McBeach, Montanover Water resident engineer and Cliff Yantz, drilling geol. gist. Wait for drill rig to show up.

Weather: overcast, rain, 60°F

0915 Drillers arrive. Unload rig (looks like CME 750) off of semi-trailer to-b-y.

Drillers are Stearns Drilling Dutton, Michigan (near Grand Rapids).

1030 Go to construction trailer for safety debrief.

1045 Move rig to MW10 well cluster.

1115 Break for lunch. Cliff looks for a PID from Ben.

Drill rig is CME 859 track mounted rig. Call office.

1215 Back at location.

Driller: John

Helper: Rick

1225 Start split spoon sampling.

MW37 ~~MW38~~ is name

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Location is about 10' SE of MW30. Drilling is to follow Lower Aquifer SOP dated 10/2/96, which was amended to include blow-in on 10/15/96.

1240 Tag water at about 8' bbl.

1255 Clay @ 13' Last spoon @ 11 ppm

1305 Stop to prepare big augers to set steel casing.

1340 Begin drilling with 12" augers.

1400 Begin preparing to set casing.

Cut casing to length.

1425 Meet Luanne Vanderpool, EPA

Rob Jantz who are out to stake alignment of PGCS extraction trench with Pete

Vagt, MW. Mixing grout for casing. Casing is 10'

1515 Drillers decom equipment. Casing has been set. Prepare to move rig.

1620 Move rig to P-57. Located adjacent to guard shack into the Lake County Prairie Park east of Celina and north of RR tracks.

SMH-L 10/16/96

SMHL 10/16/96

Utilities not cleared. Telephone line looks like only utility scurping the guard shack. Decide to put P-57 a few feet from building.

1630 Begin split spoon sampling. Water at about 8'. Clay at 12' b/s. Clay is sandy.

1715 Begin to set piezometer, 5' screen. Set it from 7 to 12' b/s. Sand up to 5' b/s. Hole Plug 5' to 1 1/2' b/s.

1800 Finish up at piezometer.

SMHL 10/16/96

SMHL 10/17/96

0715 Arrive at site. Driller locating rig at MW-38. South of Reeder Road, east of Colfax across from Griffith Public Works near Railroad tie set in ground.

Weather: clear, about 65°

0745 Begin split spoon sampling at MW-38.

0820 Water at about 15' b/s.

0915 Tag clay @ 30' b/s. Begin pulling augers to overfall with big augers to set casing.

1030 Break for lunch after setting the big augers. Have to wait for additional equipment for drilling deeper. Only have big augers and casing to 20'. I leave for Chicago office.

1330 Return to site.

1345 Supply truck shows up with equipment. Drill with augers.

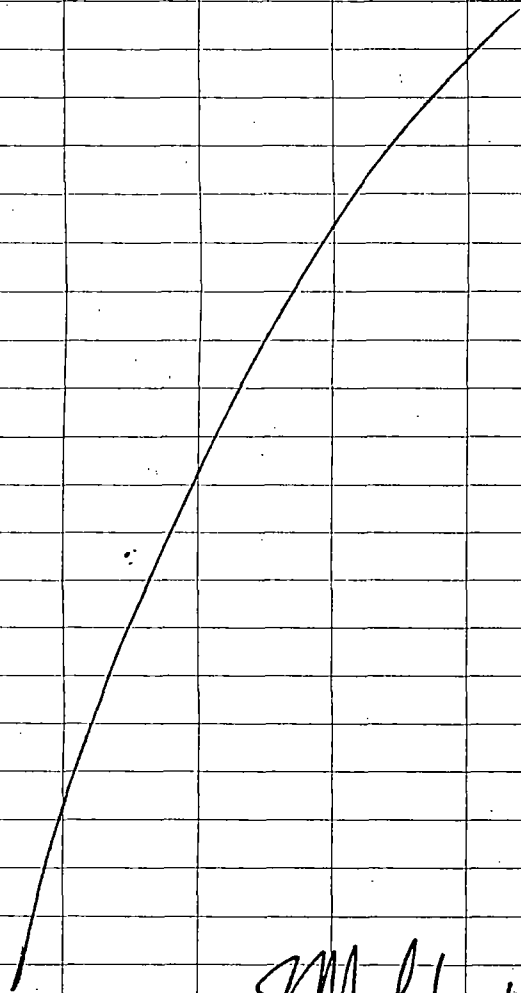
1515 Driller's begin welding casing to add 10' to 20' piece.

1600 Serious lightning. Break until it passes.

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1745 Finish grouting casing.
Lightening rack) continue
leave site.



SMHL 10/17/96

SMHL 10/18/96

0745 Arrived site. Drillers are
fueling rig. Move to MW37.
0830 Begin split spoon sampling.
Through the clay. Clay is 5'
thick. Sand is showing
PID of about 6 ppm at 25'
b/s. Noticeable odor from
well. Weather is sunny, brisk
about 45°F.
0855 Some blow-in. Use sand
paster to remove sand & water.
About 4" of clay at about 27 1/2'
b/s. PID at about 2 ppm.
0915 Next spoon shows some silty
sand.
1005 Begin setting well. Total depth
is 30 feet. Using 10' screen
stapler steel.
1050 Placing Hole Plug above sand
pack. Sand pack from 30' to 18'
b/s. Hole plug from 18' to surface.
Hydrate above water table very
bad. Push steel pro cover into Hole
Plug. Sand poured into pro cover.
Sand is #7 Global Sand Pack.

SMHL 10/18/96

SMHL 10/18/96

- 1130 Finish well, break for lunch.
 1230 Break from lunch. Begin
 to develop well.
 1315 Developing well. Will
 remove 120 gallons after
 surging for 30 minutes.
 1330 Call office check messages.
 1345 Finished developing well MW37.
 1400 Rich moves over to p-57 to
 place the flush mounted cover.
 Will move rig to MW38 to place
 well. Grout had been mixed for
 22 hours, casing had been
 installed 20 hours.
 1630 Split spoon sampling from 30'
 to 50' b/s. Tag sand @ 50' b/s.

SMHL 10/18/96

SMHL 10/19/96

- 0715 Arrive at site. Driller's continue
 split spoon sampling at MW38.
 0915 Split spoon sample to 61' b/s.
 2' clay at about 35' b/s. Set
 monitoring well to 61' b/s. Place
 sand pack up to 51' b/s. Well
 has 10' screen and is stainless
 304.
 1130 Break for lunch.
 1245 Return from lunch. Begin filling
 hole from 50' to surface with
 Hole Plug. Set steel per cover.
 Fill outside riser, inside per cover
 with sand. Hydrate pellets every 2'.
 1330 Begin surging hole and
 decontaminating the rig.
 1400 Begin development by pumping
 with rig through 1" PVC to drums.
 Cliff collects pH, cond, temp. readings
 every 15 gallons. pH values vary
 between 4 and 5. After 50 gallons
 it jumped to about 6.6. Pump had
 been used to pump cement, which
 caused the low values. Will pump
 150 gallons into drums.
 1500 Finish development. I leave site 10/19/96



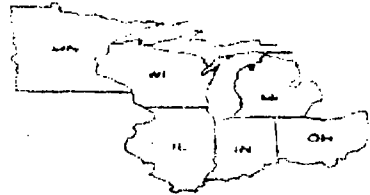
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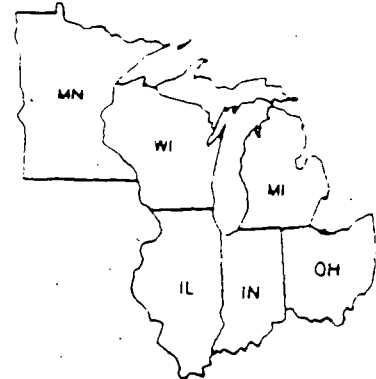
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BVSPC Project 71670
BVSPC File C.3
February 26, 1997

Ms. Sheri Bianchin
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard (HSR-6J)
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Subject: Results of December 1996 Outfall
Surface Water Sample

Dear Ms. Bianchin:

Enclosed is a table that shows the results of the outfall surface water sample that was collected by Black & Veatch Special Projects Corp. at the American Chemical Services, Inc., site on December 27, 1996. We collected the sample, which was not split with Montgomery Watson, at your request. We have not enclosed the laboratory analytical data packages with this transmittal; however, I can send the data packages if you want them.

The results indicated the presence of three organic compounds, including chloroethane (2 ug/L), 2-butanone (0.7 J ug/L), and bis(2-chloroethyl)ether (5 ug/L). Chloroethane and bis(2-chloroethyl)ether are contaminants of concern identified in the Record of Decision for remediation; 2-butanone is a common laboratory contaminant. No volatile organic Tentatively Identified Compounds (TICs) were identified; however, two semivolatile organic TICs were identified. The inorganic results do not indicate the presence of significant levels of inorganic analytes.

Please contact me at 312/346-3775 if you have any questions or desire additional information.

Sincerely,

BLACK & VEATCH SPECIAL PROJECTS CORP.

Steve Mrkvicka
Site Manager

Enclosure

cc: P. Hendrixson, USEPA w/o enclosure
E. Howard, USEPA w/o enclosure
A. Rupani, BVSPC w/enclosure

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Table 1 December 1996 Outfall Surface Water Sample American Chemical Services, Inc.	
Compound/Analyte	97ZB02S05 Sample Location/Concentration (µg/l)
Volatile Organic Compounds	
Chloromethane	1 U
Bromomethane	1 U
Vinyl chloride	1 U
Chloroethane	2
Methylene chloride	2 U
Acetone	5 U
Carbon disulfide	1 U
1,1-Dichloroethene	1 U
1,1-Dichloroethane	1 U
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	1 U
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	1 U
Chloroform	1 U
1,2-Dichloroethane	1 U
2-Butanone	0.7 J
Bromochloromethane	1 U
1,1,1-trichloroethane	1 U
Carbon tetrachloride	1 U
Bromodichloromethane	1 U
1,2-Dichloropropane	1 U
cis-1,3-dichloropropene	1 U
Trichloroethene	1 U
Dibromochloromethane	1 U
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1 U
Benzene	1 U
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	1 U
Bromoform	1 U
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	5 U
2-Hexanone	5 U
Tetrachloroethene	1 U
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	1 U
1,2-Dibromoethane	1 U
Toluene	1 U
Chlorobenzene	1 U
Ethylbenzene	1 U
Styrene	1 U
Xylene (total)	1 U
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	1 U
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	1 U
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	1 U

Table 1-1

Table 1 December 1996 Outfall Surface Water Sample American Chemical Services, Inc.	
Compound/Analyte	97ZB02S05 Sample Location/Concentration (µg/l)
1,2-Dibromo-3-chloropropene	1 U
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	1 U
VOA TICs	0
Semivolatile Organic Compounds	
Phenol	5 U
bis(2-Chloroethyl)ether	5
2-Chlorophenol	5 U
2-Methylphenol	5 U
2,2'-oxybis(1-Chloropropane)	5 U
4-Methylphenol	5 U
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine	5 U
Hexachloroethane	5 U
Nitrobenzene	5 U
Isophorone	5 U
2-Nitrophenol	5 U
2,4-Dimethylphenol	5 U
bis(2-Chloroethoxy)methane	5 U
2,4-Dichlorophenol	5 U
1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene	5 U
Naphthalene	5 U
4-Chloroaniline	5 U
Hexachlorobutadiene	5 U
4-Chloro-3-methylphenol	5 U
2-Methylnaphthalene	5 U
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	5 U
2,4,6-Trichlorophenol	5 U
2,4,5-Trichlorophenol	20 U
2-Chloronaphthalene	5 U
2-Nitroaniline	20 U
Dimethylphthalate	5 U
Acenaphthylene	5 U
2,6-Dinitrotoluene	5 U
3-Nitroaniline	20 U
Acenaphthene	5 U
2,4-Dinitrophenol	20 U
4-Nitrophenol	20 U
Dibenzofuran	5 U
2,4-Dinitrotoluene	5 U
Diethylphthalate	5 U
4-Chlorophenyl-phenylether	5 U

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4,6-Dinitro-2-methylphenol	20 U
N-Nitrosodiphenylamine	5 UJ
4-Bromophenyl-phenylether	5 U
Hexachlorobenzene	5 U
Pentachlorophenol	20 U
Phenanthrene	5 U
Anthracene	5 U
Di-n-butylphthalate	5 U
Fluoranthene	5 U
Pyrene	5 U
Butylbenzylphthalate	5 U
3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine	5 U
Benzo(a)anthracene	5 U
Chrysene	5 U
bis(2-Ethylhexyl)phthalate	5 U
Di-n-octylphthalate	5 U
Benzo(b)fluoranthene	5 U
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	5 U
Benzo(a)pyrene	5 U
Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	5 U
Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene	5 U
Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	5 U
SVOA TICs	2
Pesticides	
Alpha-BHC	0.010 U
Beta-BHC	0.010 U
Delta-BHC	0.010 U
Lindane	0.010 U
Heptachlor	0.010 U
Aldrin	0.010 U
Heptachlor Epoxide	0.010 U
Endosulfan I	0.010 U
Dieldrin	0.020 U
p,p'-DDE	0.020 U
Endrin	0.020 U
Endosulfan II	0.020 U
p,p'-DDD	0.020 U
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Gamma-chlordane	0.010 U
Toxaphene	1.0 U
PCBs	
Aroclor 1016	0.20 U
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Aroclor 1260	0.20 U
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Copper	6 U
Iron	1,060
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Nickel	20 U
Potassium	21,100
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Thallium	2 U
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Zinc	40 U
Cyanide	8 U

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American Chemical Services 80-5PJ7

BVSPC Project 71670
BVSPC File C.3
February 26, 1997

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U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Boulevard (HSR-6J)
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Please contact me at 312/346-3775 if you have any questions or desire additional information.

Sincerely,

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Compound/Analyte	<p>97ZB02S05</p> <p>Sample Location/Concentration (µg/l)</p>
Volatile Organic Compounds	
Chloromethane	1 U
Bromomethane	1 U
Vinyl chloride	1 U
Chloroethane	2
Methylene chloride	2 U
Acetone	5 U
Carbon disulfide	1 U
1,1-Dichloroethene	1 U
1,1-Dichloroethane	1 U
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	1 U
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	1 U
Chloroform	1 U
1,2-Dichloroethane	1 U
2-Butanone	0.7 J
Bromochloromethane	1 U
1,1,1-trichloroethane	1 U
Carbon tetrachloride	1 U
Bromodichloromethane	1 U
1,2-Dichloropropane	1 U
cis-1,3-dichloropropene	1 U
Trichloroethene	1 U
Dibromochloromethane	1 U
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	1 U
Benzene	1 U
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	1 U
Bromoform	1 U
4-Methyl-2-pentanone	5 U
2-Hexanone	5 U
Tetrachloroethene	1 U
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	1 U
1,2-Dibromoethane	1 U
Toluene	1 U
Chlorobenzene	1 U
Ethylbenzene	1 U
Styrene	1 U
Xylene (total)	1 U
1,3-Dichlorobenzene	1 U
1,4-Dichlorobenzene	1 U
1,2-Dichlorobenzene	1 U

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VOA TICs	0
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2-Chlorophenol	5 U
2-Methylphenol	5 U
2,2'-oxybis(1-Chloropropane)	5 U
4-Methylphenol	5 U
N-Nitroso-di-n-propylamine	5 U
Hexachloroethane	5 U
Nitrobenzene	5 U
Isophorone	5 U
2-Nitrophenol	5 U
2,4-Dimethylphenol	5 U
bis(2-Chloroethoxy)methane	5 U
2,4-Dichlorophenol	5 U
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Naphthalene	5 U
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2-Methylnaphthalene	5 U
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Letter of Transmittal

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To: Ms Sheri Bianchin
United States Environmental Protection Agency
77 West Jackson Blvd. (SRW-6J)
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Date: December 3, 1996
From: Ashok Rupani
Project: American Chemical Services
Project No.: 71670
File: C.3

We are sending you: ☒ Attached ☐ Under separate cover via _____

<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Specifications
<input type="checkbox"/> Final Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Change Order
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Addendum

Oversight Summary Report

These items are transmitted:

<input type="checkbox"/> As requested	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For your information
<input type="checkbox"/> For your approval	<input type="checkbox"/> For review and comment

Remarks: Enclosed is oversight summary report for the field activities conducted during the period November 18, 1996 through November 21, 1996. During this period, following activities were performed by Montgomery Watson:

- Phase II wetlands sediment sampling;
- Excavation of PCB-containing soils along the PGCS trench alignment; and
- Installation of natural gas line to the treatment building;

If you have any questions, please call me at 312/683-7822.

American Chemical Services
Work Assignment 80-5PJ7

Copy To: P. Hendrixson, USEPA (w/o enclosures)
E. Howard, USEPA (w/o enclosures)
Steve Mrkvicka, BVSPC (w/enclosures)

Signed: _____

Ashok Rupani

12/3/96



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 1
Date: 02-06-97 Time: 1010
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing south. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the Off-site Containment Area (OFCA).



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo#: 2
Date: 02-06-97 Time: 1020
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing south. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA. Buried drums were encountered in this area.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1 Photo #: 3

Date: 02-07-97 Time: 1445

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 4
Date: 02-09-97 Time: 1345
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing south-west. HTI completes pre-
excavation/benching activities along a section of the
western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 5
Date: 02-09-97 Time: 1345
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-west. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1 Photo #: 6

Date: 02-10-97 Time: 0945

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 7
Date: 02-14-97 Time: 1420
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing south. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the western leg of the barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 8

Date: 02-19-97

Time: 1615

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the alignment of extraction trench #13. During these activities, HTI accidentally damaged barrier wall conveyance piping installed by Youngs.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 9
Date: 02-14-97 Time: 1330
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing south-west. During pre-excavation/benching activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment, HTI uncovered several buried drums.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 3 Photo #: 10
Date: 02-27-97 Time: 1005
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-west. Drums shown in Photo #9 were temporarily covered with plastic.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1

Photo #: 11

Date: 02-14-97

Time: 1420

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI conducting pre-excavation/benching activities along the southern leg of the barrier wall alignment. Excavated municipal waste/debris and soils were handled in accordance with the approved Spoils Management Plan.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 12

Date: 02-17-97

Time: 1535

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

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Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 13

Date: 02-15-97 Time: 0845

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. The Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA being demolished by Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 14

Date: 02-15-97 Time: 0845

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. The Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA being demolished by Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 15
Date: 02-15-97 Time: 0845

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. The Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA being demolished by Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 16

Date: 02-15-97 Time: 0845

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

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Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 17

Date: 02-15-97

Time: 0845

Photographer:

Ashok Rupani

Description:

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Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 18

Date: 02-15-97

Time: 1024

Photographer:

Ashok Rupani

Description:

Facing south-west. The Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA being demolished by Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 19
 Date: 02-15-97 Time: 1024
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. The Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA being demolished by Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 20
 Date: 02-15-97 Time: 1150
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana, completes demolition of the Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2
 Date: 02-17-97
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Photo #: 21
 Time: 1520
 Description: Facing west. An abandoned concrete septic tank was encountered during pre-excavation/benching activities underneath the former Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2
 Date: 02-17-97
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Photo #: 22
 Time: 1520
 Description: Facing west. An abandoned concrete septic tank was encountered during pre-excavation/benching activities underneath the former Kapica-Pazmey building located at south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 23
 Date: 02-17-97 Time: 1535
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. HTI completes pre-excavation/benching activities in the south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 24
 Date: 03-19-97 Time: 0940
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana, conducting pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the On-site Containment Area (ONCA).



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 25

Date: 03-19-97 Time: 1000

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. Some waste materials/debris were encountered during pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the ONCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 26

Date: 03-19-97 Time: 1030

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Some waste materials/debris were encountered during pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the ONCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 27
 Date: 03-19-97 Time: 1220
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Some waste materials/debris were encountered during pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the ONCA.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 28
 Date: 03-19-97 Time: 1240
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. Some waste materials/debris were encountered during pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the ONCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4

Photo #: 29

Date: 03-19-97

Time: 1320

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Some waste materials/debris and crushed drums were encountered during pre-trenching activities along barrier wall alignment in the south-west region of the ONCA.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5

Photo #: 30

Date: 03-26-97

Time: 1415

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north. HTI conducting pre-excavation activities along the alignment of extraction trench #10.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5

Photo #: 31

Date: 03-26-97

Time: 1415

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI conducting pre-excavation activities along the alignment of extraction trench #10. Excavated waste/debris was handled in accordance with the approved Spoils Management Plan.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5

Photo #: 32

Date: 03-26-97

Time: 1415

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI conducting pre-excavation activities along the alignment of extraction trench #10. Excavated waste/debris was handled in accordance with the approved Spoils Management Plan.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 33
Date: 02-06-97 Time: 0930
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing barrier wall in the
north-west region of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1 Photo #: 34

Date: 02-06-97 Time: 0930

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. HTI installing barrier wall in the north-west region of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 35
Date: 02-06-97 Time: 0955
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. HTI installing barrier wall in the north-west region of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1 Photo #: 36

Date: 02-10-97 Time: 1445

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-east. HTI installing barrier wall in the north-west region of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 37
 Date: 02-19-97 Time: 1530
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. After failing to make the first joint, HTI resumes barrier wall installation with a new panel beginning at a location few feet south of the first panel.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 38
 Date: 02-19-97 Time: 1530
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. After failing to make the first joint, HTI resumes barrier wall installation with a new panel beginning at a location few feet south of the first panel.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 39

Date: 02-19-97

Time: 1530

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-east. After failing to make the first joint, HTI resumes barrier wall installation with a new panel beginning at a location few feet south of the first panel.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3

Photo #: 40

Date: 02-27-97

Time: 1010

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing barrier wall along the western leg of the alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 41

Date: 02-27-97 Time: 1035

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. HTI installing barrier wall along the western leg of the alignment in the OFCA. Dry bentonite is being fed into the trenching machine via a hopper located at the back of the machine.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 42

Date: 02-27-97 Time: 1415

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI making a joint during barrier wall installation along the western leg of the alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 43

Date: 02-27-97 Time: 1415

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. HTI trying to resolve problems encountered while making the barrier wall joint.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 44

Date: 02-28-97 Time: 1020

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. A typical barrier wall joint. Variation in upper clay layer elevations along the barrier wall alignment is reflected in the difference in height of the two wall panels.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 45
 Date: 02-27-97 Time: 0955
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. Stormwater collected in the pre-excavated/benched areas of barrier wall alignment in the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 46
 Date: 02-27-97 Time: 0955
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Stormwater collected in the pre-excavated/benched areas of barrier wall alignment in the OFCA being pumped to surrounding areas just east of the barrier wall alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 47

Date: 03-03-97 Time: 1030

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Barrier wall installed in the south-west region of the OFCA.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 48

Date: 03-03-97 Time: 1330

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI making a joint during barrier wall installation along the southern leg of the alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 49
 Date: 03-03-97 Time: 1550
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. A barrier wall joint pulled apart during installation along the southern leg of the alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 50
 Date: 03-04-97 Time: 1330
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. HTI repairing the installation boot of the trenching machine after a joint pulled apart during installation along the southern leg of the alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 51

Date: 03-10-97 Time: 1030

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI resumesd barrier wall installation with a new panel beginning at a location few feet east of the last panel after a joint pulled apart during installation along the southern leg of the alignment

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 52

Date: 03-10-97 Time: 1350

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI installing barrier wall along the southern leg of the alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 53

Date: 03-11-97 Time: 1045

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI installing barrier wall near the south-east corner of the OFCA.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 54

Date: 03-11-97 Time: 1530

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI installing barrier wall near the south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 55
 Date: 03-12-97 Time: 1120
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Montgomery-Watson personnel conducting perimeter air monitoring during barrier wall installation activities near the south-east corner of the OFCA.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 56
 Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1130
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. HTI repairing the installation boot and cutting chain of the trenching machine after cobbles and boulders, encountered during barrier wall installation near the south-east corner of the OFCA, damaged the installation boot and the cutting chain of the machine.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 57

Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1130

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI repairing the installation boot and cutting chain of the trenching machine after cobbles and boulders, encountered during barrier wall installation near the south-east corner of the OFCA, damaged the installation boot and the cutting chain of the machine.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 58

Date: 03-25-97 Time: 1735

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. After repairing the installation boot and the cutting chain of the trenching machine, HTI resumes barrier wall installation near the south-east corner of the OFCA.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 59

Date: 03-26-97 Time: 1050

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing barrier wall along the eastern leg of the alignment.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 60

Date: 03-26-97 Time: 1135

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI resumes barrier wall installation near the south-east corner of the OFCA with a new panel beginning at a location few feet north of the last panel.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 61

Date: 03-26-97 Time: 1630

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing barrier wall along the eastern leg of the alignment.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1

Photo #: 62

Date: 02-07-97

Time: 1000

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. HTI setting up to install extraction trench #11.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1

Photo #: 63

Date: 02-09-97

Time: 1330

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. HTI completes the installation of extraction trench #11. The extraction trench culminated with a 15-foot long, solid, 6-inch corrugated HDPE pipe that will serve as an access port at the non-pumping end of the trench.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 64
Date: 02-09-97 Time: 1330
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-west. HTI cleaning up the area after
installation of extraction trench #11.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 65

Date: 03-25-97 Time: 1730

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI repairing the installation boot and cutting chain of the trenching machine after cobbles and boulders, encountered during barrier wall installation along the eastern leg of the alignment, damaged the installation boot and the cutting chain of the machine.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 66

Date: 03-25-97 Time: 1640

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. HTI installing extraction trench #15.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 67
 Date: 03-25-97 Time: 1720
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. HTI installing extraction trench #15.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 68
 Date: 03-25-97 Time: 0810
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. HTI installing extraction trench #16.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 69

Date: 03-25-97 Time: 0850

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. HTI completes the installation of extraction trench #16.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5 Photo #: 70

Date: 03-27-97 Time: 1010

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. HTI setting up to install extraction trench #18 inside the ACS facility.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 71
 Date: 03-27-97 Time: 1225
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing extraction trench #18.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 72
 Date: 03-27-97 Time: 1255
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. HTI installing extraction trench #18.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 73
 Date: 03-26-97 Time: 1725
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. HTI setting up to install extraction trench #10 inside the ACS facility.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 5 Photo #: 74
 Date: 03-26-97 Time: 1820
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. HTI installing extraction trench #10.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 75
 Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1000
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. HTI installing extraction trench #13.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 76
 Date: 02-17-97 Time: 1612
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. The three manholes for the effluent discharge system were delivered to the site pre-assembled.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 77
 Date: 02-18-97 Time: 1045
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. Youngs installing the manhole for the northern leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 78
 Date: 02-18-97 Time: 1335
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. Youngs installing a 4-inch high density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe for the northern leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 79
 Date: 02-18-97 Time: 1405
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-east. Youngs fusing the HDPE pipe together after the pipe was snapped by the excavator.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 80
 Date: 02-18-97 Time: 1455
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. Youngs completes the installation of the northern leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 81
 Date: 02-19-97 Time: 0900
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. Youngs completes the installation of the central leg of the effluent discharge system.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 82
 Date: 02-18-97 Time: 0900
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. Youngs completes the installation of the central leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 83

Date: 02-19-97

Time: 1035

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. Youngs checking elevation of the excavation before setting the manhole for the southern leg of the effluent discharge system.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2

Photo #: 84

Date: 02-19-97

Time: 1058

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. Youngs setting the manhole for the southern leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 85
 Date: 02-19-97 Time: 1115
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-east. Youngs installing a 4-inch HDPE pipe for the southern leg of the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 86
 Date: 02-24-97 Time: 1400
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs connecting the PGCS conveyance piping to the northern PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 87

Date: 02-24-97 Time: 1435

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Youngs pumping groundwater from the northern PGCS sump to temporarily create dry conditions around the sump. The dry conditions facilitated the pipe installation activities.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 88

Date: 03-04-97 Time: 0900

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. HTI installing well cap at the northern PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 89
 Date: 02-24-97 Time: 1505
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs conducting electrical work at the northern PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 90
 Date: 02-24-97 Time: 1515
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. Youngs connecting the PGCS conveyance piping to the central PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 91
 Date: 02-24-97 Time: 1545
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. Youngs connecting the PGCS conveyance piping to the southern PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 92
 Date: 02-25-97 Time: 1035
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. Youngs excavating around the central PGCS sump in order to repair the sump. The damage had occurred earlier when Youngs was trying to hook up the PGCS conveyance piping to the sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 93

Date: 02-25-97 Time: 1050

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing east. In order to facilitate repair work described in Photo #92, Youngs used a Vac Truck (seen in background) to de-water the area. The groundwater pumped during this operation was temporarily stored in the Baker storage tanks.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 2 Photo #: 94

Date: 02-25-97 Time: 1110

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. De-watering and repair activities at the central PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 95

Date: 03-18-97 Time: 1110

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing east. Youngs completes the repair work at the central PGCS sump with HTI's help.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 96

Date: 03-04-97 Time: 1410

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. HTI completes the installation of well cap at the northern PGCS sump.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 97
 Date: 02-25-97 Time: 1345
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs de-watering the area around the southern PGCS sump in order to facilitate conveyance piping hook-up.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 2 Photo #: 98
 Date: 02-17-97 Time: 1125
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. The concrete valve vault for the effluent discharge system.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 99
 Date: 03-03-97 Time: 1400
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north. Youngs attempting to lift the concrete valve vault with the help of two back-hoes.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 100
 Date: 03-04-97 Time: 0945
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs installing steel sheeting to facilitate valve vault placement under extremely muddy conditions.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 101
 Date: 03-04-97 Time: 0945
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-east. Youngs installing steel sheeting to facilitate valve vault placement under extremely muddy conditions.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 102
 Date: 03-11-97 Time: 1610
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. Youngs extending the pipes from the three discharge lines further east. The three pipes were extended in two separate trenches.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 103

Date: 03-12-97 Time: 0940

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. Youngs extending the pipes from the three discharge lines further east. The three pipes were extended in two separate trenches.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 104

Date: 03-12-97 Time: 1140

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. After the three discharge lines were extended further east to the proposed valve assembly location, Youngs begins to excavate to install the valve assembly.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3
 Date: 03-13-97
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Youngs hooking up the valves to the effluent discharge pipes.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3
 Date: 03-13-97
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs hooking up the valves to the effluent discharge pipes.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 107
 Date: 03-13-97 Time: 1550
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs installing the valve assembly.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 108
 Date: 03-13-97 Time: 1550
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-west. Youngs installing the valve assembly.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 109

Date: 03-18-97 Time: 1230

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-west. Youngs completes the valve assembly installation. The excavation was backfilled with native soils and gravel.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1 Photo #: 110

Date: 02-06-97 Time: 1425

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south-east. Montgomery-Watson encountered a production well just a few feet north of the Kapica-Pazmey building. This well was designated as K-P Well.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 111
Date: 02-07-97 Time: 1305
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. Stearns Drilling Company (Stearns) of Grand Rapids, Michigan, pulling out the pumping system prior to abandoning the K-P Well.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 112
Date: 02-07-97 Time: 1305
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. The pumping system in the K-P Well consisted of an inflow and an outflow pipe attached to a PVC header.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 113
Date: 02-07-97 Time: 1425
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. Stearns abandoning the K-P Well by
overdrilling with an 8 1/4-inch hollow-stemmed augers.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 114
Date: 02-09-97 Time: 1250
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. Stearns using mud rotary method to drill
inside the 6-inch outer casing.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 115
Date: 02-10-97 Time: 0935
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing west. Stearns completes the abandonment of the K-P Well.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 4 Photo #: 116
Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1100
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-east. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking
water level measurement at monitoring well ATMW-4D.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 117

Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1440

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking water level measurement at landfill well M-1S.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 118

Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1450

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking water level measurement at landfill well M-4S.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 119
 Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1450
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing north-east. Monitoring Well MW-35 was found to be damaged.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 120
 Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1505
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking water level measurements at landfill wells M-5S and M-5D.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 121

Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1520

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking water level measurement at landfill well M-3S. Both M-3S and M-3D were found to be submerged in water.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 4 Photo #: 122

Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1530

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing west. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking water level measurement at landfill well M-2S.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5

Photo #: 123

Date: 03-27-97

Time: 0825

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-west. Montgomery-Watson personnel
sampling groundwater at landfill wells M-1S and M-1D.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA

Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 5

Photo #: 124

Date: 03-28-97

Time: 1010

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north-east. Montgomery-Watson personnel
sampling groundwater at monitoring well MW-6.



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Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 1

Photo #: 125

Date: 02-11-97

Time: 0930

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. Montgomery-Watson personnel taking samples for head space analysis from the soil pile which was generated during barrier wall conveyance piping installation activities inside the ACS facility.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
Proj. #: 71670.600
Roll: 1 Photo #: 126
Date: 02-14-97 Time: 1300
Photographer: Ashok Rupani
Description: Facing north-east. During barrier wall installation activities in the OFCA, HTI built a 'decon pad' just inside the exclusion zone. The 'decon pad' was built using the 'Colfax sand'.



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Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 127

Date: 03-03-97 Time: 1030

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing north. Buried Waste Spoils Management Area (left) and Demolition Rubble Management Area (right) were established in accordance with the approved Spoils Management Plan.



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Proj. #: 71670.600

Roll: 3 Photo #: 128

Date: 03-04-97 Time: 0900

Photographer: Ashok Rupani

Description: Facing south. Bowen Engineering Company setting up to sterilize the hydrogen peroxide tank and the associated piping. Used nitric acid was stored in the black storage tank shown in the photo.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 129
 Date: 03-10-97 Time: 1010
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing west. Construction de-watering water was first run through a mobile carbon adsorption unit by HTI prior to sampling and subsequent disposal.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 3 Photo #: 130
 Date: 03-13-97 Time: 1540
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing east. The treated site water was temporarily stored in 20,000-gallon Baker Tanks.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 131
 Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1315
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana, constructed drainage ditches in the area surrounding the treatment building.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 132
 Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1315
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana, constructed drainage ditches in the area surrounding the treatment building.



Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 133
 Date: 03-24-97 Time: 1030
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south. Midwest Material Services of Hammond, Indiana, constructed drainage ditches in the area surrounding the treatment building. A culvert pipe was also installed just outside the ACS gate across the site trailer.

Site: American Chemical Services, Inc. RD/ERA
 Proj. #: 71670.600
 Roll: 4 Photo #: 134
 Date: 03-21-97 Time: 1335
 Photographer: Ashok Rupani
 Description: Facing south-west. Youngs completes the installation of safety guards around the septic tank.